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A public meeting of the Irishmen of Victoria, under the auspices of the Sons of Erin, will be held at Pioneer Hall, Broad Street, on Friday, 26th instant, at 8 p.m., to discuss the best means of receiving His Excellency the Governor-General and Lady Aberdeen. All Irishmen are cordially invited to attend.
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CABLE ITEMS.

Eugene Oudin, the singer, has been stricken with paralysis in London.

Mexican mounted police overtook Antonio Sanchez, a noted bandit chief, in the mountains and shot him to death. Several of his desperate band were wounded and captured.

There is a steady decrease in the cholera everywhere in Europe, amounting in the case of Austro-Hungary to nearly fifty per cent. The decrease in Russia is also remarkable, and the advent of cold weather will soon put an end to the epidemic.

The steamer Minoursinsh has left Yenioisk, Asiatic Russia, in search of the steamer St. Jernen, which, with the well-known Arctic navigator, Captain Wiggins, who opened up the Northern passage to Siberia, and a crew of forty men, has not been heard of since she left Nienoisk a month ago.

The Freeman's Journal, of Dublin, announces that the Irish Party's Paris fund has been released, and is now in the hands of Justin McCarthy.

BELGIAN ELECTIONS.

Unofficial Estimate of the Results of the Recent Contests.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 23.—According to unofficial figures published here the recent election for members of the chamber of representatives resulted in the following distribution: Catholics 104, Liberals 19, Socials and Radicals 29. It is reported that M. de Burlet, the premier, has been defeated for re-election by a small majority.

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WARNED AGAINST CHINESE.

Foreigners Advised to Avoid Localities Where Large Bodies of Natives Are Stationed.

Restless Tong Haks of Southern Korea Threatening to Advance Upon Seoul.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—A Shanghai dispatch says the Chinese fleet which recently left Port Arthur has reached Wei-Hai-Wei. The Total, of Shanghai, has requested foreign consuls to warn the subjects of their governments to avoid localities where large bodies of Chinese are stationed. He also requests that all Japanese residents of China, to whom he refers as "fawning pigmies," shall register at the city of Tientsin by the 20th prox. Reports have been received in Shanghai that two boats connected with the torpedo service have been blown up at Taku, and eight persons were killed and two wounded in the disaster.

A Tokio dispatch says the second son of the King of Korea has arrived at Hiroshima with presents for the Mikado.

A Hong Kong dispatch says that agents in that city of the British steamer Tai Yuen have complained to the authorities that a French cruiser recently fired twice at the vessel to compel her to display her flag.

HIROSHIMA, Oct. 23.—The special session of the Japanese Diet closed yesterday. Every measure presented was unanimously passed. A memorial was adopted urging the government to execute the desire of the Mikado with reference to the restoration of peace in the East, the increase of the glory of Japan, the punishment of China and prevention of the future disturbance of Eastern peace. The memorial concludes with the declaration that Japan will not tolerate interference by any nation to prevent her obtaining the ultimate objects of the war which she has been waging against China.

TIENTSIN, Oct. 23.—It is stated from reliable sources that negotiations for peace between China and Japan are proceeding at Seoul.

A report is current that seventeen Japanese warships, under Admiral Ito, have assembled at Pingyang. Thornton Haven, it is said, has never been occupied by the Japanese. The Chinese fleet is reported to be at Weihaiwei.

CHEMULPO, Oct. 23.—At Pingyang there are 1,200 wounded Chinese in the hospitals. The rebellious Tong Haks of Southern Korea are restless, and only the fact that they are not provided with arms prevents them from breaking out in open revolt and moving upon Seoul, for which many of them have started. The Chinese are mobilizing a force at Kiern, and are gathering a strong force at Powtingfu. Many letters to Europeans in Korea have been opened by the Japanese authorities. The British consul's mail bag was detained three weeks.

AN AMERICAN VIEW.

Opinion at Washington in Connection With the Pacific Cable Project.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Late news from Honolulu of the abrupt check given by the Dole government to the negotiations by the commissioners from England for special concessions for a station in the Hawaiian islands for the projected cable between British Columbia and Australia has been received here with great satisfaction because of the positive attitude of the Hawaiian government in refusing, on account of prior exclusive treaty engagements with the United States, to make any such grant as was requested by Great Britain. Well informed persons here characterize this move by the British government as part of its machinations for new advantages in the Pacific ocean.

It is well known, however, that all governments are anxious for the establishment of telegraphic communication with the islands of the Pacific. During the sittings of the representatives of the United States, Great Britain and Germany at Berlin, at which the three powers entered into the existing tripartite arrangements in regard to the "neutrality and autonomous government of the Samoan islands," the subject of establishing telegraphic communication with Samoa was broached to the conference by the British delegates, who stated that the establishment of telegraphic cable communication would greatly assist in preventing future disturbances. The American commissioners, through John A. Kassen, assured the conference that the United States was equally desirous of having telegraphic communication established with Samoa, but that was a matter upon which the American commissioners had no authority to treat at that time and place.

The recent occurrence is likely to lead to diplomatic correspondence with the government and also to hasten action in congress upon the matter of encouraging the laying of a telegraphic cable between our Pacific coast and the Hawaiian islands, as to which preliminary steps have already been taken in congress. The department of state has repeatedly manifested its earnest concern in cable telegraphic communication with the Hawaiian islands, but it has also shown its disinclination to enter into any further "entangling alliances" with foreign governments by co-operation for the accomplishment of that or any other purposes.

IN FORTY-ONE COUNTRIES.

The Salvation Army Flag Planted—General Booth's Welcome to New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Gen. Wm. Booth, commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, was formally welcomed here last night in Carnegie music hall, which was crowded to the doors. On the stage were the commanders, captains and officers of lesser rank, while for a background there was a row of flaming banners. In his address, Gen. Booth said that the army's flag floated in 41 countries, while there were over 1,000 officers, all trained ministers, on the rolls. He spoke highly of the work accomplished by the women. Preceding the meeting in Carnegie hall, there was a big mass meeting in Union Square.

TICKETS for the hospital ball which takes place at the A.O.U.W. hall on the 24th, can be procured from Hibben & Co., R. Jamieson, Challoner & Mitchell and the ladies' committee.

A TRAIN OUTRAGE.

Miscreants Repeat Some of the Worst Deeds That Characterized the Great Railway Strike.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—The deeds of violence which characterized the recent great railroad strike were repeated last night at Grand Crossing and South Chicago by a gang of hoodlums. An Illinois Central suburban train was boarded by a crowd of toughs who abused the crew, calling them "scabs." They were finally ejected. When the train reached Wildwood the depot was burning, and while the trainmen devoted themselves to extinguishing the flames, the miscreants set fire to a train of box cars on the track, one car being totally destroyed. When the train again started it was found that all the semaphores had been removed and the lamps had been placed under the roadbed, the structure burning like tinder. The flames were smothered with sand and cinders, but not until the track in places was so weakened that supports had to be placed under it. This is the first outrage by the tough element since the strike, and the damage would have been much greater but for the hard work of the train crew.

CONCERNING SOCIALISM.

Italian Police Endeavoring to Break Up Socialistic Clubs.

Proposals Submitted at the Frankfort Congress—An Extensive Programme.

ROME, Oct. 23.—The Italian police officials are striving energetically to break up all socialist clubs. Many members of such clubs have been summoned for trial on various charges.

FRANKFORT, Oct. 23.—In the socialistic congress to-day resolutions in favor of national insurance, factory inspection, arbitration of disputes, an eight-hour working day and a minimum wage rate were carried by acclamation. A resolution in favor of granting state aid to the unemployed was rejected. A lively debate occurred on the suggestion that agitation was the principal thing necessary for the success of the socialists.

AMONG THE WHALES.

Catch of the San Francisco Fleet Last Season.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—The steam whaler Narwhal arrived from the Arctic yesterday after an absence of thirty-two months. During that time sixty-nine whales were taken, which it is estimated will net the owners of the vessel nearly half a million dollars. The men in the forecastle estimate that they have about $1,000 each coming to them. The Norwhal took only five whales this season, the big catch being last year.

"When we first went to the McKenzie," said one of the crew, "we had not very great expectations. The first season we did fairly well, but the second season we could not kill all the whales that came up to blow. Why sometimes we would be in the middle of a school and would be in danger of being lifted out of the water when a whale came up to blow. We had only one accident during three years. John Regan and another of the crew went out hunting, were caught in a blizzard, and Regan lost his life. When the sled reached the ship Regan was frozen to death, and the other man was frost-bitten in both feet. He is still unable to get around, and will be sent to the Marine hospital."

Captain Smith reports the catch of the fleet for the last season to be as follows: Balena 5, Rosario 2, Orca 3, Mermaid 1, Alice Knowles 1, Triton 1, Wanderer 2, California 4 bowheads and 1 right, Jeanette and Andrew Hicks 3, Beluga 4, Grampus 2, Karluk 2 and Belvidere 3. The Karluk, which was damaged in the ice, started for San Francisco three days ahead of the Norwhal and at Point Hope was still two days in the lead. Captain Smith says she was little damaged and was surprised to find she had not arrived. The Grampus and Balena left about the same time as the Narwhal and should be along to-night or to-morrow. During the 4th, 5th and 6th inst. the Norwhal was in a heavy gale. A number of her sails were blown away and the whaleboat and its contents were lost.

FAULTY CONSTRUCTION.

Collapse of a Five-Story Building in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—Carelessness in the construction of the walls and floors is responsible for the collapse of the partly constructed five-story building at 465 Wall street at 11:30 o'clock to-day. Fortunately only two or three workmen were in the building when it fell, and only one, Peter Josen, a carpenter, was injured. He was taken to the Alexian Brothers hospital, suffering from bruises and crushes. The floors in the building had been laid and the plasterers had finished their work. Suddenly, at noon, the front half of the five floors gave way and fell with a crash to the basement. A hurried examination reveals faulty construction of the basement and of the walls into which the joists supporting the floors were laid.

CABLE NEWS.

Without Foundation.

ROME, Oct. 23.—The report that Baron de Fava is about to leave the Italian embassy in Washington is declared to be without foundation.

Noted Equestrian Injured.

VIENNA, Oct. 23.—Lieutenant Count von Starhanberg, who won the military ride between Berlin and Vienna in 1892, fell from his horse while hunting to-day, and when picked up was found to be suffering from concussion of the brain.

This fine weather is quite an opportunity to get your walls, etc., newly papered. Weiler Bros. have a large variety of Wall Papers suitable for any kind of decoration.*

CAPITAL NOTES.

Galops Rapids Improvement Judgment Against the Dominion Government for a Large Amount.

Information Wanted for the Next Edition of the Year Book—Premier Davie.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 23.—Judge Burbidge to-day rendered judgment in the suit of Gilbert vs. the Queen, in connection with the Galops Rapids improvement. The total amount to which the claimants are entitled is $171,308.

There is great competition for the vacant post of inspector of hulls and equipment for Ontario. A board of three practical shipbuilders will examine applicants, and the best man will get the position.

Dominion Statistician Johnson is sending out circulars to the different municipalities asking for information for use in the next edition of the year book. This feature in the edition of 1893 proved to be of a very valuable character.

Hon. Theodore and Mrs. Davie arrived here this evening.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Fifteen Houses Burned.

QUEBEC, Oct. 23.—A block of fifteen houses, the property of Dr. C. E. Elliott, was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning at Little River, outside the city limits.

Desperadoes Arrested.

PARRY SOUND, Oct. 23.—Two more of the Perreault family of desperadoes, who have terrorized this neighborhood for a long time, were arrested here yesterday.

Laurier's Tour Ended.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 23.—Hon. Mr. Laurier and party addressed meetings to-day at Emerson and St. Jean. This ends the provincial meetings, and the tour will be concluded with a banquet here on Thursday night.

Shot in Mistake for Deer.

BARRIE, Oct. 23.—While deer hunting in Vespra swamp to-day Robert Foster mistook two brothers named Tomlin for deer and fired at them, fatally wounding one and shooting a hand off the other.

Hudson Bay Railway.

OTTAWA, Oct. 23.—Hugh Sutherland arrived this morning and had a long interview with Daly. It is reported that the delegates who follow him will ask the government to guarantee the bonds of the Hudson Bay Company at 3½ per cent. This done they think they might get the capital necessary.

MONTREAL MATTERS.

Well-Known Citizens Dead—Mr. Mercier Still Living—Arrest of Contractor St. Louis—Corner in Gas.

MONTREAL, Oct. 23.—(Special)—Armand Larocque, a wealthy French Canadian citizen of Montreal, is dead. The death of Joseph Duhamel, Q.C., formerly counsel for the Grand Trunk railway, is also reported.

The report was spread all over town to-day that Hon. Mr. Mercier was dead. He is still living and conscious. He recovered consciousness about 10 o'clock after being comatose for twenty-four hours and sipped a little beef tea. He is very low.

The arrest of St. Louis, contractor for the Curran bridge, is a bombshell in certain circles. There are several charges of obtaining money under false pretences and a charge of destroying books with intent to defraud.

A big corner in gas stock is expected on 'Change, the result of the recent deal between the Montreal and Consumers gas companies.

THE LISTOWEL BUTCHER.

Still at Large—The Infuriated People Anxious to Deal With Him.

LISTOWEL, Oct. 23.—(Special)—The butcher who perpetrated the atrocious crime and murder of the fourteen year old Jessie Keith on Saturday last is still at liberty. If the man is caught, unless the temper of the people hereabouts is mistaken, or a sufficient time has elapsed for their passions to cool, short work will be made of the perpetrator of the crime. The mob will not be any too particular as to the plan adopted for sending the man into eternity.

NORTHWEST NOMINATIONS.

Probably a Good Number of Elections by Acclamation.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 23—(Special)—The nominations for the Northwest elections take place to-morrow. There will probably be elections by acclamation in several districts, including Clinkskill for Battleford, and Haultain for Macleod.

REFUSED TO RATIFY.

Toronto City Council Disapproves the Late Issue of Bonds to a Montreal Broker.

TORONTO, Oct. 23.—The Toronto city council has refused to ratify the issue of Toronto bonds at 90⅓ to R. Wilson Smith, of Montreal, as recommended by the executive committee. The legislature will be applied to to change the bonds into 4 per cents.

THE WORST FOR YEARS.

Immense Amount of Damage Done by Storms on the Atlantic Coast of North America.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Oct. 23.—Mail advices just received here bring further intelligence of the damage done by recent storms along the Northern coast, and state that the visitation was the worst known for many years.

THE CZAR.

Effects of His Death on the Russian Empire and on the Continent.

"It Would Be a Serious Misfortune" —His Collapse Almost Incredible.

Charles Emory Smith, a former U.S. minister to Russia, who had in his official capacity ample opportunity to observe the personal characteristics of the Czar, is reported to have expressed himself as follows as to the effect the death of His Majesty will have. He said:

"The impending death of the Czar would, in my opinion, be a serious misfortune for Russia and for Europe. It is not probable that there will be any marked change in the conservative policy of the imperial government. The policy of the present reign has been wise, prudent and firm. It is likely to be followed, but, in the nature of the case, with a new and untried sovereign there must be solicitude until the lines are settled.

"As to Russia internally, the present emperor has given her tranquility and stability. There is little discontent, no agitation, and general devotion to the crown on the part of all classes. The unexpected change necessarily breeds anxiety, but it finds a loyal public temper, and with wise counsels it will be easy to move forward without disturbances.

"Alexander III has been an upright and earnest ruler, less commanding than Nicholas, less liberal than Alexander II, but he has been well balanced. His personalities have inspired confidence both at home and abroad. He has been steadfast, conscientious and straightforward. He has shared the reactionary tendency which followed the assassination of his father, and which has been unfortunate in some of its developments, but with his firm policy he has united a strong sense of justice.

"During the famine of 1891 and 1892 some extreme socialistic articles imputed to Count Tolstoi found their way into print. Tolstoi was engaged in relief work, and some of the ministers of the empire thought it unwise to let him go among the peasants preaching his revolutionary ideas, and they advised that he be placed under arrest. This action was greatly denounced. An English friend of mine just at that time visited for some days at Tolstoi's house. Whenever the clatter of hoofs were heard on the road it was supposed to be a squadron of soldiers to make the arrest. As a matter of fact, the Emperor refused to accept the advice to place restrictions upon Tolstoi, saying that while his doctrines were wrong, he was doing a good and humane work, and was not to be interrupted in it.

"No one could see anything of the pure and beautiful domestic life of the Emperor or of his laborious devotion to the responsibilities of the crown, or of his manifest desire to promote the welfare of his people without great respect for him. He has been the Russian of Russians in his feelings, and has aimed to develop the national spirit of his people. But he has joined with this national sentiment a deep personal sense of right and duty."

In an article which appeared in the Philadelphia Press Mr. Smith writes of the Czar as follows:

"The sudden and swift collapse of the Czar in the very prime of life seems strange and almost incredible. He is only 49 years old. He had the stalwart figure and physical prowess of the Romanoff officers. Standing 6 feet 2, well proportioned, the very picture of robust health, about the strongest man in Russia, living a well ordered life, he seemed the last of living sovereigns on whom the dread disease would lay fatal hands. His moral rectitude and his upright purpose have matched his rugged manhood. His character and impulses have inspired loyalty and devotion at home and respect and confidence abroad. For years he has been the sheet anchor of peace in Europe. As Crown Prince he won soldierly laurels in the Russo-Turkish war, but as Emperor he has been supremely devoted to continental peace, and has been the surest and most potent force in maintaining it.

"With one hand he moderated the impulsive ardor of France, and with the other he warned and checked the aggressive tendency of Germany. He restrained the hostile spirit of others, and renounced warlike purposes himself. Had he been restless and ambitious of military glory and aggrandizement he might easily have applied the torch which would have set Europe aflame, but he held a steady hand over the great powers and refused to be disturbed and diverted by the pitiful squabbles of the Balkan states. Calm, cool, firm and self-possessed, he has conserved the equilibrium and peace of Europe. Slow in coming to conclusions, a plodder rather than a genius, when his determination was reached he was firm and resolute in enforcing it. He has a strong will. He has been his own master. Ready always to receive counsel, he has himself been unmistakably Emperor. Though rarely surprising the world with any striking or daring policy, he has quietly and steadily wrought out a change in the position of Russia which has lifted her from a secondary place, and made her the arbiter of European peace.

"Curiously enough, with all the Russian censorship and restriction, the most active and potent agent in leading the Czar away from the old foreign influence was a journalist. Kalkaoff, the chief of the Moscow Gazette, was one of the ablest and most powerful editors of any country, a Russian Horace Greeley, and the alliance of the Czar and Kalkaoff shook the universal, intellectual and diplomatic domination of Bismarck, and from playing a subordinate part to the great German chancellor, advanced Russia to the position of holding the balance between adverse forces and dictating the peace of Europe. The Czar pursued this policy with steady and rational judgment. There were influences against him that were bent on war. He warmly mastered and controlled them. He had faith in himself. He was full of courage. There is a prevailing idea that he has lived in constant dread and anxiety, but he is a fatalist, and he has moved calmly forward with the conviction that his destiny, whatever it might be, could not be changed. Doubtless precautions have constantly been taken for his safety, but they have been the measures of those about him rather than his own.

"His great service to mankind has been as the peacemaker of Europe. What will follow his death no one can yet tell. The heir to the throne is only 26. Until he made his tour of the world, three years ago, he had never appeared in any independent part. His opinions and tendencies are largely a matter of conjecture. He lacks the physical proportions of the Romanoffs, but within the last three years he has materially matured, and he possesses amiable and gracious qualities. It is to be hoped that when he comes to the throne the influences about him will be of a wholesome character. In that direction and in his own blameless life the dying Czar leaves a worthy example."

HARVEST FESTIVAL.

St. Luke's Northfield—The New Departure in Church Work—Marked Success of the Evangelical Brotherhood.

NORTHFIELD, Oct. 23.—(Special)—The series of services in connection with the annual harvest festival at St. Luke's Northfield, was brought to a most successful conclusion yesterday evening. Thursday last being St. Luke's day the services were opened by a morning celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 o'clock, administered by the Rector, Rev. C. E. Cooper, assisted by Brother Pratt, the evangelist in charge of the parish, followed by morning service at 10 o'clock and evening song at 7:30. The several services were full choral and were heartily and earnestly joined in by the large congregation present. The neat little church had been suitably decorated by the ladies of the congregation under the superintendence of Brother Pratt. The gardens of the vicinity contributed a plentitude of floral wealth which adorned the reredos, the lectern and font, while fruits and monster vegetables were artistically disposed throughout the sacred edifice. The flowers, contributed by Mr. Young, of the Hamilton Powder Works, and Mr. Greenwell, and the fruits and vegetables, lent by Dr. Walkem, were exceedingly fine. Rev. C. E. Cooper preached a very suitable sermon on Thursday evening, taking for his text the 3rd v. 9th chap. Isaiah, giving a thorough workingman's discourse, in which he pointed out to his numerous hearers the vicissitudes of the late depression everywhere, emphasizing that large employers of labor were true Christian benefactors to a working community, and reminded them that Northfield, if in the past year it had experienced its share of the universal depression, has also had many good years for which its people should indeed be thankful.

Bro. Pratt, unassisted, conducted the entire services on Sunday, and throughout the whole performed the extraordinary feat of playing the organ, intoning the service, reading the lessons and preaching the sermons, besides conducting the usual Sunday school services, Bible class, etc. The evening discourse, taken from Gal. 8, 8-9 verses, was truly appropriate in a spiritual sense, and was delivered extempore in clear, concise language, easily understood by his hearers, which they thoroughly appreciated.

TERMINAL CITY.

A Liberal Congregation—Organization of Another Co-Operative Society—Loading Salmon.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 23.—(Special)—The German ship Senta is loading salmon at English's for the United Kingdom.

On Sunday Rev. Mr. Watson, of the Methodist church, asked his congregation for $1,000 to pay off the interest and sinking fund on the mortgage. The plates were passed around and when the money was counted it was found that the congregation had given $200 more than was asked for.

James A. Dummitt, travelling secretary of the Y.M.C.A. on the Coast, is in the city on business connected with the district convention to be held here shortly.

Rev. Mr. Hadden called a meeting at the Reformed Episcopal church last night to discuss the advisability of getting up another co-operative society. When he asked all those in need of employment to stand up, more than half of those present arose to their feet. Nearly all signed their names as pioneer members of the society. The society proposes to operate between here and Westminster.

Grace Irving, of Vancouver, has been committed for trial on the charge of stabbing F. G. Turner at Westminster recently. The circumstances gone over in detail were little different to what has already been published.

The steamer Coquitlam unloaded 25,000 pounds of halibut into the train for the Eastern markets yesterday, leaving 5,000 for the provincial markets. The Coquitlam was chartered by the American Fish Company to catch halibut at Bank's inlet. The Capilano, chartered by the New England Company, and the Coquitlam are both bringing in tremendous halibut catches for the Eastern market. Halibut are abundant in the North this season.

THE BRIDGE QUESTION.

Report of Engineer Cooper, of New York, on the Plans Submitted to Him.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 23.—(Special)—The bridge committee presented their report at the meeting of the Westminster council last night, and submitted the report of Consulting Engineer Cooper, of New York, on the plans presented to him. The following plans were presented for his inspection: The Bullen Bridge Company, the Hamilton Bridge Company, the Dominion Bridge Company and T. P. Bell. Mr. Cooper reported that, regardless of cost, the Hamilton Bridge Company presented the best foundation, but as there was $80,000 difference between it and the Bullen offer he recommended the acceptance of the latter, with certain restrictions, namely, that their piles be driven not more than twelve to fifteen feet apart into the hard pan; if this is impossible, cribs should be sunk around the deep water piers. The Hamilton and the Bullen bridge companies were the only tenderers whose plans were according to requirements.

NANAIMO NOTES.

Sunday's Fire and the Lack of Action by the City Council—The Electric Lighting of the City.

NANAIMO, Oct. 23.—(Special.)—The town had another close call on what might have proved a big blaze on Sunday. About 1:30 p. m. a passer-by observed thick smoke oozing from the windows of the Temperance house, a hotel opposite the city hall. The fire department turned out promptly as soon as the alarm reached them. Meantime an impromptu bucket brigade was formed, and dippers, cups and buckets passed rapidly along the line, extinguishing the fire before it gained dangerous headway. The fire started in one of the bed rooms, and was caused by a small boy and a bunch of matches. The damage was small.

In the city council last evening the fire limits by-law was finally passed and ordered to be published. The need of an adequate alarm system was discussed, admitted and tabled pending investigation as to ways and means. The question of appointing a special chimney inspector went over for one week, and the Commercial street causeway by-law passed a second reading.

The council is perfecting a system for the electric lighting of the town, and will inquire into the advisability of placing a greater number of lights of less power than the present in establishing new lights.

I X L Carving Set at Cheapside.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

The Market Drifting Daily from Bad to Worse.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Affairs at the Stock exchange are drifting from bad to worse so far as business is concerned. The total sales were only 93,131 shares. Closing bids: Atchison, 5½; Burlington & Quincy, 73; Canada Southern, 50⅞; Canadian Pacific, 65; Central Pacific, 15½; Chicago, Cincinnati, Columbus, & St. Louis, 38½; Delaware & Lackawanna, 166; Erie, 13¾; Wells Fargo Express, 112; Great Northern, preferred, 100; Lake Shore, 135; Louisville & Nashville, 53½; New York Central, 99¼; New York & New England, third certificates, 31⅞; North American Co., 3⅞; Northern Pacific, 4⅜; Northern Pacific, preferred, 16; Northwest, 103⅞; Oregon Navigation, 20; Oregon Improvement, 15; Rock Island, 60; St. Paul, 160⅝; Texas Pacific, 9⅞; Union Pacific, 11⅝; Western Union, 87⅞. Bar silver, 64½c per ounce.

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TO LET—Furnished room, with use of sitting room; breakfast if desired; in private family, James Bay. Address H., Colonist office. se27-1m

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FOR RENT or sale—To one or more parties, Gray's factory on Government street, for storage or stables; also one farm, 156 acres with improvements; one work horse. Apply 173 Government street. se26-1m

TO LET.—One or two furnished rooms in private family, with bath—or part of house, with kitchen. Apply L. Colonist office. se18-1m

TO LET—Nine-roomed house, Superior street, James Bay; $18; water paid. Ten-roomed house; hot and cold water: 2 lots; Garbally Road; $20. Two cottages, Pandora street, $10, water paid. Eight-roomed house, bath, Johnson street, $15.

TO LET—Furnished—Nine-roomed house; bathroom; hot and cold water, etc.; two lots in garden; good situation; James Bay.

BARGAINS—For sale—43 acres good farming land, close to town; considerable cleared; $70 per acre.

TO LET—Corner store and four large rooms, stable, etc.; Government street; $15. Four-roomed cottage, with 1½ acres land, off Gorge road; $8. Six-roomed house, bath, etc.; one acre of land; waterfront; Oak Bay; $7. Seven-roomed house, bath, stable, with frontage on Gorge; $20.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE—Under power of sale contained in an indenture of mortgage, dated the 22nd of June, 1893, and registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, in Charge Book vol. 12, folio 151, No. 14975B, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the 5th of November, 1894, for the purchase of Lots 10.36, Haywood avenue, Victoria City, and the six-roomed cottage and improvements thereon. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

C. C. PEMBERTON, No. 39½ Langley Street, Solicitor for Mortgagee. oc13-td

NOTICE—No shooting allowed on Foul Bay Farm, Foul Bay; trespassers will be prosecuted. oc10 1m

CABLE ITEMS.

Caprivi Wins Over the Majority of Ministers to His Anti-Socialist Views.

Diamond Mining in South Africa—Austrian Social Reforms—Vernon Harcourt.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The government is so displeased with the anti-Italian manifesto of the Catholic congress in Tarragona that it has directed all civil and military officials in the district to absent themselves from the street procession and military mass, and has cancelled all orders for the review.

The London Daily News correspondent in Berlin says that the chances are that Caprivi has won over the majority of the ministers to his moderate anti-socialistic programme.

M. de Fuisseaux, a socialist agitator, has been released from prison in consequence of his election to the Belgian chamber. He was imprisoned for inciting to riot.

A bill introduced in the Austrian lower house authorizes the formation of workingmen's committees in factories and shops, the members to be elected by secret ballot, to promote concord between master and men, also the appointment of conciliation boards to be organized usually by the local authorities, but sometimes by the ministry of commerce.

The Daily News learns that Sir Wm Harcourt, who has returned from consulting a Wiesbaden oculist, can see better than for years past.

Premier Cecil Rhodes, presiding at the annual meeting in Kimberley of the DeBeers Mining Co., said that the diamond product of the year was valued at £2,820,000 After deducting expenses barely £1,250,000 remained, but the dividends would be maintained. In referring to the American tariff he said that he not only favored free trade but also reciprocity. If the Cape excluded Brother Jonathan's products perhaps it would bring him to his senses. He would not again ask the shareholders to vote a grant for an exhibit of diamonds in America. The moral was that they should leave America alone.

The suppression of the Socialist workers in Italy has caused a sensation. The step was taken by the authorities in consequence of the alarming reports sent in by the prefects who had been questioned regarding the association. The Prefect of Milan, where there are fifty-five bodies of Socialist workers in correspondence with allied societies all over Italy, gave a satisfactory explanation of their dangerous doctrines and plans. He found that the railway employes were especially numerous and active in the association. The general programme was to destroy the existing social system, abolish private ownership, and to demolish by means of revolution the whole judicial fabric.

MURDERER WANTED.

The London Police Anxiously Searching for the Slayer of a Priest.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The police are trying to find the man who is suspected of murdering Gabriel Segul, a priest who belonged to a rich and influential family in the Argentine Republic. Segul was found dead about two weeks ago in a private hotel, 49 Old Compton, Soho. He was hanging from the bedpost by a silk handkerchief tied tightly round his neck. Nobody knew who he was. On the table was found this note: "DEAR SIR,—Do not accuse anybody of my death. I am finished with life. I am disgusted with my family. I do not require any inquiries after my death. I have no papers. I do not wish anybody to know the other motives. Once more, keep silence so as not to have any scandal. May God bless you. Louis Caseres. I am a native of Peru." The theory that the dead man was Caseres and had committed suicide was accepted until Saturday, when the officials of the Argentine legation told the police his proper name, and added that they had reason to believe there had been foul play. The police learned also that an unidentified man had forged Segul's signature to a draft for £400 and had obtained the money from a bank in Havre. The man is believed to have sailed for New York. The police, under pressure from the legation, are searching for a young man named Eugene, who roomed with Segul until a day or two before his death.

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE.

The Admiralty Have a Scheme To Man the Subsidized Armed Cruisers.

(From the Canadian Gazette, Oct. 4.)

It has been announced in the public press during the past week that in addition to the manning by Royal Naval Reserve men of the vessels which are to be chartered for the conveyance of troops to and from India, the Admiralty have on foot a scheme for manning the armed cruisers on which they now pay an annual subsidy. At present the following vessels are in this category: Etruria and Umbria, of the Cunard Line; Himalaya, Australia, Victoria and Arcadia, of the P. and O Company; Teutonic and Majestic, of the White Star Line; Empress of India, Empress of China and Empress of Japan, of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. It is proposed to supply complete crews of these vessels from the Royal Naval Reserve, including both officers and men. No official intimation of this nature has, we understand, been received by the companies chiefly affected; but inquiries which we have made would seem to indicate that, should the Admiralty decide upon such a step, it would meet with co-operation on the part of the steamship companies.

Under the agreement now in force the armed cruisers are obliged, in order to meet the requirements of the admiralty, to see that their vessels are commanded and officered by Royal Naval Reserve men. Further, they have agreed to employ, "as far as possible," members of the reserve in the complement of their crews, and to facilitate, by special agreement in the ships' articles or otherwise, the securing as far as possible of the services to the admiralty of such European members of the crew as do not belong to the naval reserve. It will thus be seen that the companies are not compelled to employ reserve men, but as a matter of fact a good proportion of the crews on these steamers appear to have served their term in Her Majesty's service. In the case of the Canadian Pacific Royal Mail steamers of the "Empress" line, the proportion of Royal Navy Reserve men is about 25 per cent. No better sailors than Naval Reserve men could be wished for, and there seems no reason why the remainder of the crew, with the exception of stewards and firemen, should not be recruited by the steamship companies from the same source. Only one difficulty suggests itself, and that is the sufficiency of such Royal Naval Reserve men to man the eleven vessels named above. Are there enough Reserve men to give each vessel an adequate crew?

THE BOULANGIST CONSPIRACY.

Proposals to Deal With the Parties Concerned Rejected by a Large Majority.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The French chamber of deputies resumed to-day the interpellation regarding the plot against the republic during the period of the Boulangist excitement. Deputy Grousset demands the prosecution of the Boulangists engaged in the conspiracy in favor of a monarchy, or if this was refused there should be an imperial amnesty in favor of all political offenders Both propositions were rejected and a vote of confidence passed by 315 to 155.

BIG INSURANCE DEAL.

A Large Block of Agricultural Risks Taken Over by the London Mutual Fire.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—(Special)—One of the biggest insurance deals in Canada for years has just been consummated in the city, whereby the London Mutual Fire Insurance Company takes over all the agricultural risks held in Canada by the Agricultural Fire Insurance Company, of Watertown, N.Y., who are giving up that class of business in Canada. The number of risks transferred is 4,500, representing between $5,000,000 and $6,000,000.

THE BISMARCKS.

The Prince Not Attacked by Paralysis—His Health and That of the Princess Satisfactory.

BERLIN, Oct. 23.—A rumor spread in this city this afternoon that Prince Bismarck had sustained a stroke of paralysis. In response to inquiries Dr. Chrysander telegraphed from Varzin at eight o'clock this evening that the rumor was unfounded. The condition of both the Prince and Princess is satisfactory in spite of the prevailing bad weather. Prof. Leyden remains at Livadia for the present.

EASTERN CHURCH AND HOLY SEE.

Continuation of the Conferences Regarding the Contemplated Union.

ROME, Oct. 23.—The conferences at the Vatican of the proposed union of the Eastern church and the Holy See will open tomorrow. Cardinals Rampolla, Ledochowski, Vanutelli, Galimberti and Langenieux, and the Patriarch Jusuff and Renni, will be present. The Maronites will also be represented. It is uncertain whether or not the Pope will be able to attend the first sitting.

DR. PARKHURST.

His Plea for the Sisters Who Have Made the Mistake of Their Lives.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Dr. Charles A. Parkhurst yesterday preached a sermon which was a plea for fallen women. The Doctor took for his text Matthew xxi, 31—"Verily, I say unto you that the publicans and harlots go into the kingdom of heaven before you." Dr. Parkhurst says society has a way of scaling sins for which no warrant can be found in Scripture. "There seems to be," said he, "one character of crime that if one sex practices it it is all right, but if the other practices it ostracism invariably follows. Men can do as they choose on this score with women for whom they have no respect, but with a woman it is different." He continued:

"Society says there are several unpardonable sins. They say it is a crime for a woman to transgress the seventh commandment, but it is not so for a man. One of the great troubles when a woman wishes to lead a different life is that she does not receive the help of her sisters. What hope is there, then, for a woman to try to do better? There are a great many magdalenes in New York. Probably thousands of them will go to heaven. They are children of God, just as good in His sight as you, and you should do all you can to help them. Some of you gather your skirts about you to escape from your fallen sisters, while they are just as precious to God as you are."

CENTRAL AMERICA.

Britain Will Demand Heavy Indemnity From Nicaragua for the Mosquito Outrages.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Dr. Wolfred Nelson, of this city, formerly of Panama, returned from a trip to the West Indies on the Atlas line steamer Alene from Kingston, Jamaica, which arrived to-day. He said that it was understood in Kingston that England would exact from Nicaragua $7,000,000 of indemnity as the outcome of the misconduct of the latter country in the Mosquito territory. Nicaragua has entirely ignored the provisions of the treaty of Managua. It was further rumored that England would transport the Mosquitos into British territory, British Honduras being the place selected. The U.S. cruiser Columbia was expected to arrive at Kingston two days after the departure of the Alene. H.M.S. Mohawk was still at Bluefields. In the interior of Nicaragua disturbances of a revolutionary character are frequent. Costa Rica has succeeded in negotiating in London the loan with which she intends to complete her railroads.

CURRENT HUMOR.

The monker goes to the sunny side of the tree when he wants a warmer climb.

"Doctor, I am troubled with shooting pains in my face." "Yes, madam. You use too much powder."

"What I tell my wife goes." "Indeed!" "Yes, she takes it to her mother right away, and pretty soon it is everywhere."

Inquirer—"Does a fish diet strengthen the brain?" Philosopher—"Perhaps not; but going fishing seems to invigorate the imagination."

She—"Before we were married you said it would give you the greatest pleasure to gratify my every wish?" He—"My dear, I said your lightest wish; and I'll do it, too.

Mrs. Kimball (to tramp)—"So you are very hungry and want something to eat? Well, here's some cold veal." Tramp—"But I haven't got no fork to eat it with." Mrs. Kimball—"Well, you just keep on going down that way a little farther and you'll find a fork in the road."

Mrs. Caller—What is the name of your new servant?"

Mrs. Wifey—"We call her 'Bliss.'"

Mrs. Caller—"Why?"

Mrs. Wifey—"Because ignorance is bliss."

Mrs. McSwatters—"How do you know that the Sphinx represents a man?"

McSwatters—"Do you suppose if it had been a woman it could have kept its mouth closed for nearly four thousand years."

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Small Lot Household Furniture, Stove and Pipes, Cooking Utensils, Crockery, etc., etc.

This Property is within easy distance of many of the most important Gold, Silver and Coal Mines in West Kootenay. The soil is the best bottom land, and the locality is one of the few places in the Province where so large a piece of good farm land can be found in one block. A river runs through the property, and rainbow trout are plentiful and afford capital sport. Deer abound in considerable numbers. Bear, Wolf, Coyote and other large game are to be found in the hills. There are two creeks recorded and belonging to the estate, one flows all the year round. Limestone and brick clay are to be had in the valley.

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The South West Kootenay and Osoyoos Divisions of Yale District, British Columbia, judging from the actual ore products of the mines to date, are destined in the next year or two to be the richest and most important mineral centres in the world.

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New York Hotel.

Dean & Cryderman,
Victoria, British Columbia,

DEAR SIRS.—Had a bad sprained ankle, used Marvellous Liniment and was entirely cured in three days.
GEORGE SCHMIDT,
Steitz' Restaurant.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 17, 1893.
To Dean & Cryderman, druggists.

GENTLEMEN,—With much pleasure I add my testimony to your valuable Marvellous Rheumatic Cure. For three months I suffered terrible pain. Could not move only by the aid of two sticks. I have only taken two bottles of the medicine and two of the liniment, and I can now go without sticks, and hope after the third bottle to go to work.
Yours very thankfully,
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NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of the late Andrew Samuel Booth, deceased, are requested to send me particulars thereof, and all persons indebted to the estate are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.
SAMUEL JOHN BOOTH,
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STEAMERS AND SHIPS

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New Westminster Route:
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.
For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13.15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:
Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st, 10th and 20th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:
Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.
JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, Sept. 1st, 1894.

GEO. A. SARGISON
NOTARY PUBLIC,
Accountant & Agent,
48 LANGLEY ST.

The Colonist.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1894.

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THE WAR NEWS.

The war news by the Empress of China is rather meagre. The accounts of the naval engagement at Yalu show that it was nothing like the disastrous affair for the Chinese that the telegrams represented it to be. The battle appears to be a drawn one, both sides being glad to discontinue the fight, their ammunition being exhausted and their ships considerably damaged. The accounts show that both the Chinese and the Japanese fought bravely. The Japanese ships were the better equipped and worked, but the Chinese vessels were not in the inefficient and neglected state in which they are represented to be by some critics. The damage done to the ships, though in many cases serious, is by no means irreparable, and we expect to hear of the fleets being soon again at sea in good fighting condition.

There was some sharp fighting at the battle of Phyong-Yang. The description by the war correspondent of Jiji Shimpo is lively. He is no doubt partial to his own side, but he gives the Chinese credit for bravery. He of course gives his readers to believe that they are no match for the Japanese. After a stubborn fight, lasting the whole day, the Chinese retreated in good order. The slaughter does not appear to have been very great. The Japanese war correspondent says that the "loss to the Japanese, killed and wounded, is stated to be about 500, and that of the Chinese killed at about 600, although it is impossible to tell with any degree of accuracy the number of wounded, as many were probably able to run away." He afterwards says that from statements received from captives the Chinese loss in killed and wounded is 2,000. These statements are rather loose, but it is pretty clear that the victory was by no means an easy one. It is evident from the account of the battle that the Japrnese are not going to make an easy conquest of China.

GOLD IN THE STATES.

Great importance is attached to the export of gold in the United States. Our neighbors do not like to see gold going out of their country, and they feel encouraged and pleased when the flow of gold is inward. The diminution of the gold reserve of $100,000,000 gives them great anxiety. They fear that if it gets too low the Government will not be able to redeem its paper with gold, or, what amounts to the same thing, that the people will take it into their heads that greenbacks and other currency will not be worth their face in gold coin. This, we imagine, is why the export and the import of gold are watched so closely in the United States.

For many years the outflow of gold greatly exceeded the inflow. The excess of exports ceased in 1877 or thereabouts. From that time forward for several years the import of gold exceeded the export. The excess of imports in 1881 amounted to the immense sum of $97,000,000. From 1884 to 1888 as much gold went out of the United States as came into it, and in 1889 the export again exceeded the import. This condition of things has continued ever since. The New York Times, in a recent article, gives the following statement of the import and export of gold for the last four years:

In 1891 there was an export of $73 000,000 by August 1, and an import of $39,000,000 during the rest of the year, making a net export of $34,000,000. In 1892 the exports were unbroken save by $4,000,000 brought in in October and November, and the net export was $39,000,000. In 1893 $62,000,000 had been sent out by August 1, and all but $7,000,000 was brought back. This year there was light export in the first three months, $4,500,000; $9,400,000 in April, $58,000,000 in May, June and July; less than $2,000,000 in August, and since then there has been an excess of imports, bringing the net exports to $65,901,111.

This continual drain of gold has excited alarm in some quarters, but the United States is really too rich a country in all that constitutes true wealth to make it of a great deal of consequence whether at any given time there are a few millions more or less of gold in the country.

A VICTIM OF FREE TRADE.

The Canadian advocates of free trade do not like to see any reference made to the condition to which free trade has brought the agricultural interests of Great Britain. But every reasonable person must see that such a reference is perfectly legitimate. If free trade had benefitted the farmers of Great Britain the advocate of that system would be very foolish indeed if he did not show that it had done good to one of the most important interests, if not the most important interest in the country. On the other hand, if it can be shown that free trade had worked injuriously to that interest, the opponents of free trade would be wanting in their duty if they did not direct the attention of their readers to that very noticeable and most significant fact. It would be exceedingly childish and stupid in the free trader instead of meeting what is an undoubted fact squarely, manfully and reasonably, to attempt to raise a prejudice against his opponent by complaining that he takes a delight in dwelling upon the misfortunes of the mother country, and that he gloats over the misery of her agricultural population. Stuff of this kind is not argument. It is, in fact, the merest rubbish, quite unworthy of anyone who wishes to be considered an intelligent controversialist.

So far from gloating over the misfortunes of British farmers, we sympathise with them and we trust that before very long a British Government will see its way to give them the encouragement and the protection they so sorely need. Like the Telegraph, we do not believe that the British farmer should be sacrificed to what has become the imaginary need of the British artisan.

At the risk of again incurring the displeasure of a whining free-trader, we will direct attention to the harm which British free trade has done another industry nearly allied to that of farming. We mean the milling industry. Unrestricted foreign competition has done damage to that industry so serious that millers find the greatest difficulty in keeping up their establishments. This is shown by the following advertisement, taken from the Plymouth Western News, October 6, 1894:

NOTICE.
BEAVER MILLS, PAR.

TO MY PATRONS AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

I am sorry to state that at present there is an absolute loss of Capital in the Manufacture of Flour, which statement is fully confirmed by late public reports of Limited Liability Companies engaged in the Milling Business, and with no immediate or definite prospect of an improvement; therefore, I have decided to CEASE MILLING UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, preferring the position of an interested spectator rather than be an active participant in such pernicious and senseless competition as now exists among millers.

I beg to say my Mill is in the most complete order, and that I am prepared to resume the Manufacture of such high grades of Flour, as the "Beaver Mills" has gained the proud distinction of making, at the earliest opportunity warranting such action.

Thanking you for your confidence and liberal patronage, I am, yours truly,
WILLIAM LUKES.

The comments which the English paper makes upon this advertisement are well worth reading by those who have been led to believe that free trade has made everything lovely in Great Britain for all classes of the population. This is what the Western News says:

Mr. William Lukes, who has decided to suspend operations at the Beaver mills, Par, is a miller of wide experience. He was, so to speak, born in the trade, and is a native of Cornwall, with the added advantage of thirty years' practical experience of milling in Canada. His mill is filled with modern machinery, and is well adapted for the trade which has been carried on. Yet the condition of things is such that Mr. Lukes prefers to suspend operations, and to take "the position of an interested spectator," rather than lose his capital by doing business at present rates. It is obvious that he cannot avoid all risk of loss by the course he has chosen to take. While his mill is idle he will have absolutely no return on the capital invested, and there are certain fixed charges for rents, rates, etc., which will have to be met whether the place is working or not. It is striking evidence of the condition to which the trade has been reduced that Mr. Lukes should prefer to risk this well-ascertained loss rather than run the mill, and take his share of the trade at the present unremunerative prices. Such facts might well occupy the attention of the Government if they had time to devote to so prosaic a matter as the lamentable condition of English agriculture. Milling is a branch of that great industry in which an enormous amount of capital has been sunk, and if a Government who have devoted no inconsiderable amount of attention to the Irish agricultural interest have no word of sympathy or counsel for English farmers, they might at least consider whether something cannot be done to stave off ruin from a trade which now seems given over to disaster. Certain Radical orators are fond of talking about getting the people back to the land, and of reducing the congestion of the labor market of the towns by finding employment for the surplus population on the uncultivated wastes of the country. It apparently never occurs to them that while they are spouting the agricultural interest is being ruined, and that the best land of the country cannot be made to yield a bare living to those engaged upon it, or whose interests are involved in its cultivation.

It is quite likely that the Western News is a free trade paper, for although, like the London Daily Telegraph, it points out in the most forcible manner that British farmers need protection, it has not courage enough to follow its reasoning to the conclusion to which it logically leads. It is evidently afraid to say "Protection," though it points to it in almost every line of its article.

THE STAFF OF LIFE.

There was a time when a good harvest was a cause of general rejoicing. To have bread enough and to spare was considered the greatest of earthly blessings. It was then believed to be impossible for the people to have too much food in store. But things are different now. Bread is plenty, and consequently cheap, many think too cheap. Barns and granaries and warehouses are bursting with wheat, but no song of thankfulness is raised. On the contrary the producers of wheat are complaining that raising wheat does not pay, and that when all expenses are met there is not as much as a crust left for themselves. This is a singular state of things.

People in Canada are calculating the supply of wheat in sight and when they find it exceeds the visible supply of the corresponding month of last year, they are not in the least thankful. On the contrary, many of them are deeply dissatisfied, because the increased supply of wheat means a much lower price. In October, 1892, the visible supply of wheat was 55,091,000 bushels; in the corresponding week of the same month in 1893 it was 65,267,000 bushels, and at the same date this year it is 75,054,000 bushels. The price last year was 64 cents a bushel, and this year it is 51¾ cents. It appears that the same state of things or nearly the same exists in almost all other wheat-growing countries. The supply is in excess of the demand, and the facilities of transportation in these days make distance from the market a matter of small consideration.

The great abundance of wheat has caused those who own it to consider if it cannot be put to a more profitable use than to convert it into food for the sustenance of human beings. In some of the States it has been fed to hogs, with, it is said, good results, and now we see that bold experimenters are trying to find how it agrees with horses. There are those who say that wheat properly prepared makes excellent feed for those animals. The scarcity of Indian corn in the United States in a sense justifies this use of wheat this year, but there may be a good crop of corn next year.

Those who have studied the subject have come to the conclusion that the price of wheat will, for a long time, be low, for those who raise wheat will most likely continue to be quite as numerous in proportion to those who consume wheat as they are now, and the cost of transport is not likely to be at all greater. So the outlook for a wheat farmer, wherever he may reside, does not appear at this moment to be very cheering. Local scarcity in these days makes but little difference in the price of wheat, for the world may be said to be one big farm, in which the abundance of one part makes up for the scarcity of another.

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Plans and specifications and all information obtainable at Company's office.
C. T. DUPONT, President.
Oct. 18, 1894. oc19-5t

TENDERS FOR PRINTING.

Tenders will be received up to the hour of 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, the 30th October, instant, for the printing of the British Columbia Law Reports, in accordance with the specifications, which can be seen at the office of the undersigned.
J. P. WALLS,
Secretary B.C. Law Society,
oc19-2w 14 Bastion Square, Victoria.

CITY OF VICTORIA.
BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Tender for Debentures.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 p.m. on the 1st day of November, 1894, for the purchase of debentures of the corporation of the City of Victoria, B.C., amounting to $150 000, or its sterling equivalent at the rate of $4.86⅔ to the one pound sterling, in sums of $1,000 each or its sterling equivalent as aforesaid, payable in fifty years from the 1st October, 1894, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum, payable half yearly, with principal and interest payable as aforesaid, at the office of the Bank of British North America, either in London, England, New York, U.S.A., Montreal, Canada, or Victoria, Canada.

The corporation reserves to itself the right to redeem and purchase these debentures on paying the amount thereof and the interest due thereon at the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof at any time after twenty five years from the date of issuance of such debentures. The tenderer must state the price net at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at 4½ per cent. from the 1st October, 1894, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above debentures are issued under authority of "The Water Works Loan By-law, 1894," with principal and interest secured by a rate on all ratable land or land and improvements in the corporation of the City of Victoria.

The corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.
City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 18th, 1894. se19

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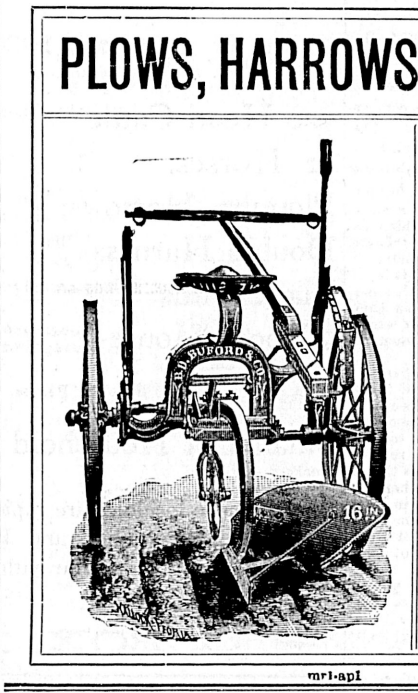

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Cor. Government and Yates St.
Re-opened as strictly first-class.
W. CROFT, PROPRIETOR
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IMPORTANT SALE

ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of a certain indenture dated 25th October, 1892, made between the Westminster & Vancouver Tramway Company and the Montreal Safe Deposit Company as Trustees, that tenders will be received by the undersigned at his office, in the City of New Westminster British Columbia, up to noon of the 24th day of November, 1894, for the purchase of the said Tramway and all the property of the said Tramway Company comprised in said indenture.

The Westminster & Vancouver Tramway Company's lines of tramway extend throughout the city of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia, and between that city and the City of Vancouver.

Conditions of sale and full particulars as to the property may be obtained at the office of the Montreal Safe Deposit Company, or from Messrs. Corbould & McColl, Solicitors, New Westminster, B.C.

GORDON E. CORBOULD,
Solicitor for the Montreal Safe Deposit Company
New Westminster, 10th August 1894. au11-92t

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1894, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at No. 72 Yates Street, in the City of Victoria, will be sold by Public Auction by Mr. George Byrnes, Auctioneer, under Chattel Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of Sale, all the stock in-trade, trade fixtures, goods, chattels and personal property, carcasses and meats of a butcher business carried on upon the said premises, delivery carts, horses, wagons and all that the slaughtering machinery and plant used in connection therewith, situate on the North Dairy farm, between Cedar Hill and Saanich Roads.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale apply to the Auctioneer, or Solicitors for the Mortgagees, Board of Trade Building, Bastion St., Victoria, B.C.

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Oct. 29—Furniture. H. Cuthbert & Co.
Oct. 31.—Dredge Pacific and Equipments. Geo. Byrnes.

THE CITY.

THE decoration and promenade concert committee in connection with the reception to the Governor-General meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the city hall.

SAM and Peter, two Indians found in possession of intoxicants, were yesterday in the police court fined each $25 or one month's imprisonment. Robinson and Rooney, the two men charged with burglary, were remanded till to-day.

JAMES WISHART this evening opens up the American hotel on Yates street with a first-class assortment of all the goods special to his line of trade. Jimmy, who is a caterer of recognized ability, will have a first-class cold lunch ready at all hours.

IN this issue appears a combination coupon good for parts one to nineteen, inclusive, of the Masterpieces of Art. This will enable all to obtain full files of this work of art. As only a few sets are available no time should be lost in securing back numbers. Call at the business office and inspect samples.

MR JUSTICE CREASE gave judgment yesterday sustaining with costs the appeal of defendant in the case of the Corporation v. Union Club, from the order of the police magistrate against the secretary of the club for non-payment of $100 under section 173 of the municipal act, 1889, as a trades license. The judge held that the membership of the club did not constitute a partnership for realizing joint profits, and therefore did not come under the description of a trading concern subject to trades licenses.

WILLIAM KNOX and his wife were found unconscious in their house on Collinson street on Monday, the wife lying on the bed, the man stretched on the floor. Doctors John Duncan and A. T. Watt were called in and Mr. Knox soon recovered, but Mrs. Knox had to be removed to St. Joseph's hospital, where, at a late hour last night, she was still in a semi unconscious state. The doctors are unable to definitely state what is the matter. Mr. Knox says that between Sunday night and Monday morning Mrs. Knox was seized with cramps, and he worked so hard trying to relieve her pain that he finally fell down overcome with fatigue.

THE Sewerage Commissioners held an informal meeting yesterday, the principal matter discussed being how many hours should constitute a day for the men who are doing sewerage work on Fort street by day's labor under Street Superintendent Wilson. Mr. Wilson, who was present, stated that at this season of the year the men could do as much work in nine hours as ten, because the days were so short that it was difficult to put in ten hours' work properly. Taking this into consideration and also the nine hour rule of the corporation the commissioners gave orders that nine hours should constitute a day's work.

FRANCIS LOUIS DAVID was charged in the provincial court yesterday with stealing three fruit trees from the Isaac Todd estate on Galiano island. The alleged offence dates back to the early part of last year. The principal witness was a lad named Jas. Collinson, who was working for David at that time. He swore that he saw David dig up the trees and move them over to his own place. Collinson afterwards went off sealing and was away from home for nearly a year. By the advice of his father a few days ago he informed Constable Drummond at Plumper Pass, and in consequence David was arrested. David already has served a two months' term for a similar offence, committed subsequent to the one with which he is now charged. After hearing the evidence Magistrate Macrae committed David for trial at the assizes. The prisoner was admitted to bail, he being bound over in the sum of $500 and two sureties of $250 each.

"CHARLIE'S AUNT," from Brazil, "where the nuts come from," is all that has been claimed for it as a fun maker. It held the boards at The Victoria last evening and the majority of the audience laughed and laughed again till they were so week that it was a matter of difficulty to get up and leave the scene of so much merriment when it was all over. The plot is original; the incidental love making is natural and interesting; the people are all natural men and women—and the fun is very, very funny. Of course a great portion of it is absurd to the extreme, but that makes it all the more amusing. The story was told at some length in Sunday's COLONIST, so there is little occasion for repeating it. In the character of Lord Fancourt Baberley, the accommodating friend and bogus Donna Lucia, the honors of the piece fall to Mr. Arthur Larkin, who created the character in London, and who now makes his bow to an American audience; Donna Lucia the genuine (Miss Grace Thorne Coulter) is an ideal widow—charming, romantic still, and yet speaking with the voice and seeing with the eyes of experience. Geo. H. Trader and Raymond Capp, the latter of whom also makes his first appearance on the American stage, are excellent in the character of the college chums; and they have two very pretty sweethearts in Miss Delia Stacey and Miss Frances Stevens. Brian Darley makes a dashing veteran of the Indian service, and Owen Fawcett an entertaining solicitor in love with the widow's millions. The remaining members of the cast are each and all good, and the play runs with the smoothness telling of first-class stage direction. It will be given matinee and evening productions to-day, and everyone should go. "Charley's Aunt" is a hurricane of laughter—a comedy not here every day to be enjoyed.

MR and Mrs. Noah Shakespeare were "at home" to their friends last evening, and in response to the intimation to that effect a large number of friends congregated at their cosy residence on Hillside avenue. The Mayor and Mrs. Teague were amongst those present. Music had a prominent place in the entertainment furnished, Mr. Clement Rowlands and Mrs. Rowlands rendering several selections very acceptably.

THERE was no change in the programme announced in yesterday's COLONIST as rendered at last evening's conversazione in the lecture room of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Dr. Milne acted as chairman and in the course of his remarks paid a high compliment to Mr. Fred. Richardson's orchestra, which took part in the programme, and he believed would attract a crowd to every subsequent social at which they played. The vocal numbers on the programme by Mr. A. C. Martin, Mrs. A. Carmichael, Mr. Collister, Miss Jameson and Miss Spring were also greatly appreciated, as were Miss Thain's and Miss Horton's piano solos. Mrs. A. T. Watt's reading demonstrated excellent elocutionary powers and was cordially received.

THE ladies who are looking after the preparations for the Jubilee hospital ball tonight were very busy yesterday completing their arrangements, and everything points to the affair being an immense success. The fine hall of the A. O U. W. has been very prettily decorated for the occasion, the music will be excellent, and as the ladies are looking after the supper, that means it is going to be as perfect as the other details. In case all the contributions towards the supper have not yet been sent in, it may be well to remember that the ladies of the committee request that everything be sent in early to day so as to avoid any delays. The attendance will be large judging by the way the tickets have been disposed of. The Lieutenant-Governor, Admiral Stephenson, and officers of the navy and military will be present. The A. O U. W. hall is admirably suited for affairs of this kind, and tonight's ball will be one of the very nicest and prettiest ever seen in Victoria.

LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Referee Quigley Says He Has Given His Decision and Declines to Go Further.

His Interpretation of the Rules Disented From—Meeting of Lacrosse Executive To Night.

Referee Quigley, who has ample powers under the rules of the B. C. A. L. A. to decide the matter one way or another—in favor of Victoria on account of the failure of the Westminster team to be on hand at the proper time last Saturday, or that the remaining eleven and a half minutes shall be played—has declined to do anything further. He claims that he has given his decision and that the association must do the rest. The following is his letter on the subject:

VANCOUVER, Oct. 20, 1894.

Mr R. L. Drury, Secretary Victoria Lacrosse Club, Victoria.

DEAR SIR:—In connection with the Victoria-New Westminster match played at Vancouver to day, October 20, 1894, I have no option but to confirm the decision given on the field, namely, declaring the game off, on account of darkness not admitting game to be completed.

Whether the game will be continued as it stood, viz., 2 to 3 in favor of Victoria with 11½ minutes to play, and the question of time, are matters beyond my jurisdiction, and must be referred to the association for decision.

Yours truly,
E. A. QUIGLEY, Referee.

Although Mr. Quigley claims that the matter is beyond his jurisdiction, the rules indicate otherwise; at any rate this is the opinion held by those qualified to interpret them. What will be the next move in the matter is not yet decided.

IMPORTANT MEETING.

The executive committee of the Victoria Lacrosse Club and members of the senior team are requested to meet at the usual place, Robert Irving's office, Broad street, this afternoon at 5 o'clock. Business of utmost importance will be brought before the meeting.

HERE AND THERE.

An exciting billiard match took place last evening at the Hotel Victoria between James Hilton and R H. Williams, the latter giving Hilton 60 in 250 Williams made some fine breaks, going out on an unfinished break of 50 and winning by 10 points.

TORONTO, Oct. 23.—More bicycle records were smashed at Rosedale yesterday by Harley Davidson, who cut the time for everything, from six to twenty two miles inclusive.

WE are pleased to chronicle the return from Toronto Musical College, of Miss Selina F. Smith with distinguished honor, she having become a certificated pupil of the above college, the only one so distinguished in the province of British Columbia. The necessary requirements for obtaining such certificates must be to pass theoretical examination, which embraces a complete theoretical course for a period of three years and embodies the study of harmony, counterpoint, canon and fuge, instrumentation, musical history and musical form and analysis.

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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Arrival of the "Tacoma" From the Orient—Her Passenger and Freight List.

A Missionary's Opinion of the Immediate Object of the Japanese Movements.

The R M S. Empress of Japan, Captain Lee, R N.R., arrived in port yesterday after a rough but otherwise uneventful passage from Yokohama, which port she left on the 12th instant. Of course the war was the all-important subject of the news brought by the big liner. She had full cargo and passenger lists and the usual number of Chinese immigrants. Among the first saloon passengers were Mr. Bird, the well known New York lawyer, who with Mrs. Bird has been travelling for pleasure; Mr. W. A E. Creitchley, R.N.R., who having served some time on the China station is now on his way to England; Dr. George H. Duncan, Victoria's medical health officer, who has been travelling in the Orient and acquiring surgical experience during the past six months; Mr. M. W. Greig, a prominent tea merchant of Foo Chow; Miss Forrest, who has done good service in the missionary field in the neighborhood of Kioto; Col. James, another prominent New York lawyer; Miss James, his daughter; Mrs. Henderson; Miss Kemp; Mr. H. Macarthur, of Yokohama; Mrs. and Miss Macfarlane, who have been visiting a son and brother at Shanghai; Mr. and Mrs. Nicholls; Mr. G. Stafford-Northcote, who is now returning to England after acting for some time as postmaster of Hong kong; Mrs. Patten, Mr. A. Peine, Mr. B. J. Petre, of Tientsin; Mr. Wilson, Major and Mrs. Richter, Col. D. H Robertson and Mr. R H. Wolfenden, C E The Empress also had three distressed seamen of the ship Annie Mayne, who are returning from Yokohama to Glasgow on sick leave.

Rough seas were the luck of the Northern Pacific liner Tacoma on the trip just ended until she reached the Straits early yesterday morning. She left Yokohama on the 7th inst, and was alongside the outer wharf landing her mails, freight and passengers by noon yesterday. A fierce typhoon at Hongkong delayed her a day in starting, and it was September 26 when she sailed from that port. Head winds were met with after leaving Yokohama for three or four days, and then westerly gales continued until this coast was reached. A floating object, sighted in mid-ocean by the keen eyes of the ship's surgeon, Dr. Redpath, was at first thought to be the mast of some lost vessel. This was about 1,200 miles from land. The ship's direction was at once altered to allow a better view to be taken, with the result that the supposed mast was discovered to be a fir tree floating erect with about twenty feet out of the water. For Victoria the Tacoma brought 212 tons of general freight out of a total cargo of 3,000 tons, the balance being for Puget Sound and overland points. She had 48 Chinese and seven Japanese passengers, all for here. Rev. J K. Robson, Rev. M. J. Walker, Rev. B. W. and Mrs. Waters and two children and Mrs. Perkes, wife of Capt Perkes, commander of the Tacoma, composed the saloon list. The three ministers are Northern Chinese missionaries who are returning home after a long experience in the Orient. Mr. Robson's home is in New York, while that of Mr. and Mrs. Waters is in Washington. Mr. Walker is a member of the Scottish Bible Association in England, where he now goes on a twelve month holiday, after spending nine years in China. Speaking of the Oriental trouble Mr. Walker said that apparently the Japanese highest ambitions, just now, is not that of attacking Pekin, but establishing themselves strongly in Moukden, the capital of Manchuri and the old home of the Chinese Emperor. The place is about 500 miles distant from Pekin, and into it the Japs are swarming in great numbers, expecting to there find comfortable winter quarters to make preparations for a great raid on the Chinese capital in the spring. At present the means of access to the place are greatly improved by the colder weather and the armies on the way do not suffer nearly so severely as at first anticipated. The frost hardens the roads of the low parts of the country through which the enemy is oblige to march and the ice on the rivers gives support to the forces passing over them. As will be remembered, there are but few if any bridges in that country. Mr. Walker says Miss Bishop, the lady journalist who passed through Victoria some time ago, was at Moukden and saw the novel sight of 4,000 Chinese soldiers armed only with bows and arrows in march to meet their Japanese foes.

MARINE NOTES.

H.M.S. Champion is likely to sail for Peru to protect British interests there during the revolution. She was to have taken the Pheasant's old crew to Vancouver, but yesterday orders were received to prepare for sea immediately. The Royal Arthur will go to Vancouver in her place.

The German bark Senta, from Honolulu, has gone up the Fraser river to load salmon for Ball-Irving & Patterson for Liverpool.

The collier Wellington went round to Esquimalt yesterday to be docked on the marine railway.

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CHINA'S MISFIT ARMY.

A German Officer Who Abandoned as Useless an Attempt to Make It Serviceable.

The Facts of the Yalu Affair—Life and Treasure Lost at Ping Yang.

The most important passenger on board the Empress of Japan, which arrived from Oriental ports yesterday, in view of his intimate connection with the military affairs of one of the participants in the great war, is Major Richter. This gentleman's name is to-day known in all parts of the world, being almost as familiar as that of Von Hanneken. His association with China dates back two years or more, when he was sent for and went out from Germany to report to and advise Li Hung-chang upon the organization and efficiency of the forces under the great viceroy's direction. He found them in a state of utter demoralization and so reported. His statements of the facts were, however, never allowed to reach the viceroy complete. They were mutilated, distorted and so changed as to be worse than valueless—personal gain and not the efficiency of the service being the end sought by the host of minor officials who have made it their business to get rich during recent years under the great viceroy. Every year of the past five, the Chinese forces have become less efficient—dispirited, ill-equipped and in the hands of knavish and incompetent officers. No riper time could have been selected by the Japanese for the carrying into effect of their long cherished plan of conquest, for China was totally unprepared to attack or to resist attack, and ready to be taken by surprise.

On the other hand Japan had been feeling her way and preparing silently though none the less effectively for the struggle during the past five years. She is therefore in the completeness of her preparations more than able to meet China's compensating advantage in numbers. Major Richter found that he could do absolutely nothing with the Chinese forces, and having so reported to Li Hung-chang, he is now returning to Germany with Mrs. Richter. He spent several days in Japan en route home, and had long consultations with the Japanese authorities. When taxed by his fellow passengers of the Empress with having been long enough in the company of the Japanese to acquaint them with many military secrets of the enemy, Major Richter smiled:

"That was entirely unnecessary," he said, for there is nothing they do not already know on the subject. They are thoroughly informed as to the numbers, equipment and efficiency of the enemy in every quarter, and long before the war was thought of by the outside world, they had their own and the Korean coasts accurately surveyed, and not these alone but the coasts of China for their entire distance. They know as much about the country in which their land operations have been and will be prosecuted as do the inhabitants themselves. How will the war eventually terminate? Ah, now you are seeking a prophet."

No very recent engagements had been reported just before the sailing of the Empress from Yokohama; details of the sea fight at Yalu river were then monopolizing attention. All accounts agree that the majority of the officers and men of both sides fought with the most devoted and determined bravery. Much as has been said about the Chinese, the appellation "coward" can scarcely apply to the plucky fellows who tried to ram a Japanese ironclad while disabled, but sank before they could reach her. The Chinese ships were of low speed and their guns less modern than those of the Japanese. This placed them at a great disadvantage. While the two armored ships and the less protected consorts moved about slowly—not knowing indeed how to move, for the signalling mast with the fighting top of the flagship was shot to fragments early in the fight—the Japanese were rapid and alert. They moved quickly and poured in a heavy hail of shells from guns of high penetrating power, while the Chinese had perforce to remain throughout in practically the same formation, exposed to a most galling attack.

That, under these disadvantages, the Chinese held their ground and actually followed the Japanese off the field are facts that speak for themselves. One Chinese ship rammed by a cowardly consort, and another run on a reef while escaping, are unpleasant incidents to read of, but the battle taught the Chinese a valuable if a costly lesson. Whose was the victory? The Japanese claim that they sank four Chinese ships and lost none themselves; there is no doubt that they did sink, directly and indirectly, four ships—indeed one more may be thrown in, and there is no avoiding the fact that the loss is serious. On the other hand the Chinese (1) effected their object, (2) remained uncaptured on the scene of action, (3) gave chase after five hours of fighting, and (4) got to their naval base in safety and saved their transports.

Latest advices from the rival fleets is to the effect that the damages to all the ships that came out of the Yalu river action were very light and not serious, though they were hit in innumerable places. If the shooting had been as good as it ought to have been, and if the Chinese were better disciplined and had supported each other a little better, none of the Japanese ships would have escaped. As it was, the two ironclads fought five big Japanese ships for over an hour, drove them away and followed them for over an hour. The Japanese squadron after the fight retired to their nearest port, took in coal, etc., and got into fighting trim again. The Naniwa, which was not seriously damaged, and the Akitsushima, proceeded westward to reconnoitre off Wei-hai-wei, Chefoo and Port Arthur. None of the Chinese vessels were seen off those places, having probably gone close in for protection and repair. This work, it is said, will not occupy more than ten days.

At last advices, which reached Yokohama on the 12th instant, there were no signs nor news of the Japanese in the Yalu. As there were large Chinese armies between the Yalu and Pingyang, many battles will have to be fought before the Japanese cross the Yalu. It is not true that the Japanese are in possession of Haiyuentao (Thornton Haven).

In Port Arthur, the Pingyang squadron is being rapidly refitted, and the ships will soon be ready with the exception of the Laiyuan, which will take a long time to repair. This one—a sister ship of the Kingyuen—has suffered the most. She is a belted ship with an armored deck, the ends being unprotected. The whole after part of the ship has been completely gutted out and burned. The superstructure of the ship, the mast, funnel, etc., are riddled in every direction. One of her ventilators has been left in a sort of metal-lacework. Her two engineers are burned and blinded, it is feared permanently, but they remained at their post with unflinching courage, and so did every other man from the captain down. Everyone who has seen this ship declares that she is manned by brave men, and that the bringing of such a wreck out of an engagement and back to port would be a credit to any navy in the world. The ships in Port Arthur have the guns draped with red, with the single exception of the Tsiyuen—this vessel lying apart in solitary disgrace and without any decoration. It is reported that her late commander, Captain Fong, was beheaded on the 25th ultimo, at Port Arthur, and that he had poisoned himself the night before, the drug not taking the desired effect. Just before the battle off Takungkou, while the squadron was getting under way, the Yangwei collided with another ship and was beached. She lies near the shore, is well sheltered, and may be floated again. The Chen boats and the Kuand-chin were inside the bar. This leaves the Chinese fleet with six "Yuens"—the Tingyuen, Chenyuen, Chingyuen, Pingyuen, Laiyuen, and Tsiyuen—and the Chinese may well claim the victory. The Tooman and Chintung passed out with troops on the 20th ultimo, and the Haeting passed out two days later with stores. She has been to Port Arthur with Dr. Irving, who went to attend the wounded Admiral Ting and others. The Chinlung also tried to get the Kuangchia off the reef at Talienwan bay. This is the ship that grounded coming from Tatungkiou.

The Hochi gives the following as an approximate estimate of the loss of the Chinese at Pingyang: Officers and men killed, about 1,800; wounded, about 2,000; prisoners, over 1,170; the number of dead given is exclusive of the bodies washed away in the river Taidong. Horses killed, 1,000; wounded, over 800; and captured, over 600. Treasure, about 1,220,000 yen in Japanese currency, including gold and silver coin, bullion and Korean coin. Rice and other cereals sufficient to maintain the army for a period of three weeks for the one division. The arms captured include 42 cannon and 1 300 rifles; there were also 1,809 tents taken.

Count Imouye Kaoru, Japanese minister for home affairs, has decided to proceed to Korea at once with a view to accomplishing the reform of the Korean government, and the cruiser Yoshimo is to convey him thither. This step is taken in view of the rapid development of numerous plots at Seoul, which appears to be a veritable hotbed of treachery. It is reported that the Tai-won-Kun contemplates creating his grandson, Li-Shun-Yo, King of Korea, and much uneasiness prevails in consequence. The advance party has applied to General Oshima for a loan of two battalions for a guard. The Hocki also learns that one hundred Tong-haks were found among the Korean soldiers in the barracks at Seoul. The men are said to have planned to overthrow the new government of Korea, with the assistance of 3,000 Tong-haks concealed in the neighborhood of Seoul, and to organize a government of the Chinese party. There is a suspicion of the Tai-Won-Kun being concerned in the plot, as many letters showing his connection with the Tong-haks were found. Minister Otori has been recalled owing to his failure to carry out his mission and initiate the much-vaunted reform of the Korean administration. He will be succeeded by Mr. Hayashi, Liberal M.P. for Tosa, who secures the appointment on the strong recommendation of Count Goto.

In China preparations for resistance are being made on every hand. There are signs of trouble in the neighborhood of Tientsin, and five foreign men-of-war have been stationed at Taku for the protection of their nationals. The fortification of Peking progresses rapidly, and troops are being mustered from as far north as the provinces of Mongolia. Prince Kung, sixth uncle of the Emperor, for many years retired from active service owing to disgrace, was appointed by an imperial decree on September 29 to be president of the admiralty and co-director (with Li Hung-chang) of war operations. Prince Kung has also been given the privilege of entering the palace at any time. The decree was promulgated at the special request of the Empress-Dowager.

At the latest writing it seemed that in directing their march toward Moukden the Japanese policy was to destroy the imperial ancestral halls and the imperial tombs. If they succeed in doing so the fate of the present reigning house of China is sealed, for the whole Chinese people will at once say that heaven has manifestly decreed that the Tatsing dynasty shall cease to reign. A further advantage of the march to Moukden would be that it would open up the only good road that exists in China, the imperial highroad from Moukden to Pekin. But how the Japanese can march to Moukden without exposing themselves to the danger of having their line of supplies cut off it is difficult to see.

REV. H. A. WEBB

His Evangelizing Career—How He Lost His Life While Working for a Friend.

(From the San Francisco Call.)

A touching story is connected with the death of Rev. H. A. Webb, the evangelist, who was buried at Laurel Hill cemetery on Tuesday last.

The deceased, who was only 30 years of age, was a native of Bristol, England, where he graduated at the Theological college five years ago. No sooner had he been ordained than he began to devote himself to the work of evangelizing, first in Canada and afterward in the United States. For the past two and a half years he was associated with Rev. D. H. Reid, his brother-in-law, and together they labored very successfully in Montana, Washington and British Columbia. For this autumn and winter they had planned a campaign through Oregon and California.

Part of Mr. Webb's continued success was, no doubt, owing to the fact that he owned a remarkably fine tenor voice, which had won for him the title of the "Singing Evangelist."

Last month he was holding meetings at Ilwaco, Wash. Just at the time James D. Morrison, the banker, mysteriously disappeared, and Mrs. Morrison, as a natural consequence, was overwhelmed with the suspense and anxiety of not knowing what calamity had befallen her husband. At last word was brought that the missing banker had been seen in Sacramento, and the distracted wife, unable to induce any of her friends to go on the trail of the lost man, appealed to the evangelist.

Mr. Webb was so touched at her story that he volunteered to go immediately and try to locate Morrison. Leaving his young wife and an infant girl four months old he set out on his errand of mercy, but, although he exhausted his somewhat frail strength in searching that city and the vicinity, he was unable to meet with any trace of Morrison. Just as he was about to abandon his unsuccessful search the evangelist was stricken with violent typhoid fever, to which he finally succumbed at Sunol, Cal. Meanwhile the danker had been located at his sister's home in Ohio, where he had arrived in an unsound state of mind, so that the deceased's relatives have the added sorrow of knowing that the search which cost the evangelist his life was a vain one.

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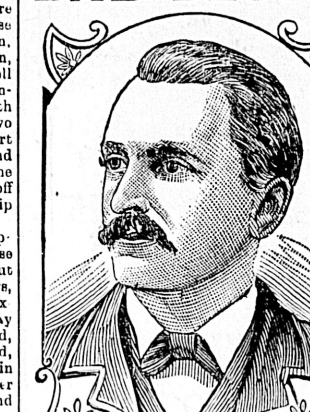

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"I saw him in 'Frisco last spring," chimed in the Old Jock who had come over for the races. "He wasn't doing any good there—but talking of double-crosses, why that Hundred Days' meeting they held on the Bay District track takes the cake. I've ridden at every meeting in America from Calgary to New Orleans, but for a 'big mitt' joint give me that Bay District track every time, under the present management. The president and directors have it all their own way, and Lord help any unfortunate man, owner, jockey or trainer who dares to kick over the traces. If he does they'll break him some way or else warn him off the track and take away his livelihood.

"Look at Riley Grannon the plunger. He gave them some of their own sauce, and instead of taking their gruel like men they warned him off. Then there was Jim Robbins of the Expositor. He wrote up some flagrant job of theirs, and two days afterwards he lost his billet. They haven't got any pull down there—oh, no—I don't think.

"But sometimes they catch a Tartar. You've heard of Jim Buttons—Montana Jim the horsemen call him? Well somehow or other he falls foul of Tom Griffiths. Griffiths was president of the show then, and oh what a time Jim had with his horses.

"First one was disqualified on a technicality; then another time after backing his horse off the boards and winning easily, bets were declared off.

"But Montana Jim is pretty smooth himself, and he and Henry Cohen got their heads together. I'll tell you the result. In a selling race you know, the winner is put up to auction, and any amount he fetches over and above the entered selling price is divided between the owner of the second horse and the racing fund. Now Jim had a three year o'd colt named Tixall as fast as greased lightning and sound as a bell. He entered him in a $500 selling race, and so as to carry a light weight put him in to be sold for $200. Cohen also entered Garcia, a fairly good stake horse and the plot was ripe.

"Montana Jim goes to Tom Griffiths, who although one of the leading officials of the club was about the biggest gambler there when he had a good thing in sight. Says he 'Mr. Griffiths, my colt can win in a walk, but I can't afford to back him and I can't afford to buy him in if he wins.' Griffiths says 'all right Jim, I'll back Tixall to win $5,000, and I'll buy him in for you. You are on half what I win, and I don't suppose anyone will run him up very high when they see me bidding for him'

"'All right, says Jim, 'your word's as good as your boud to me', and the bargain was made. There were seven starters in the race. Griffiths went down the line of bookmakers and having got his money on gave the tickets to Montana Jim calling for $2,500 if Tixall won. And win he did, but only by a neck from Garcia, whose jockey seemed to take great care to secure second place.

"Then the fun came in. Griffiths bid $550 for the winner; Cohen went $600. Griffiths said $700, and Cohen made it $1,000. Griffiths a little nettled bid $1,100; Cohen made it $1,500. To cut a long story short, Griffiths to make his word good finally secured Tixall for $5,660 and handed the horse over to Montana Jim. The racing fund benefited to the tune of $2,700 from this lively competition, and Cohen and Montana Jim divided the same amount of Mr. Griffiths money, who quit about $3,000 loser on the play.

"It was some little time before the story leaked out, and Montana Jim, satisfied to leave well enough alone, had removed his string from the Bay District track before Griffiths was on to what he had gone against.

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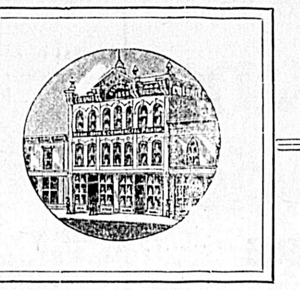

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ANTIQUITY OF MAN.

Dr. Campbell's Views—The Probability of a Pre-Adamic Race—Harmony of the Bible and Science.

The First Presbyterian church was crowded on Sunday evening to hear Dr. Campbell's lecture on "The Antiquity of Man." The speaker said the day was when the Christian believer feared lest the light from the stars should put out the "Sun of Righteousness," lest the hammer of the geologist should break in pieces the "Rock of Ages," but that day is gone; for men of science are looked upon no longer as enemies, but friends of the Truth. When we understand the Bible and Nature better, the student of the Scriptures and that of Science will find in God's World and God's Word nothing but concord and harmony, for the God of Nature is the God of the Bible. The long ages in which the forces of Nature by flood and by fire, by upheaval and subsidence, by which the gigantic rocks and stupendous mountains were brought into existence, show us not the littleness but the greatness of man; for he is the key of the arch, and the head of the kingdom.

The question, how long man has been on the earth, has an important bearing on our faith. The Mosaic cosmogony is intened to give us not a revelation of astronomy and geology, but a revelation of God, who by His power brought them into existence. The six days of creation were six periods of unknown length, corresponding to the various strata of the geologic formation of the earth. The accounts of creation in the books of heathen nations are absurd, but the account given in Genesis corresponds to the most advanced science, yet it was written ages before geology was thought of, which indicates the guiding hand of the Creator. Till less than half a century ago no one doubted that man had been on the earth only about 6,000 years. But about the middle of the present century there were found in France, in England, and in other parts of the world, flint implements with the bones of animals, extinct long ages before Adam is supposed to have been created, in caves, and in gravel beds, apparently not disturbed for milleniums. The natural conclusion was that man must have existed there at the time those animals were on the earth, and therefore, long before Bible students believe Adam was placed in Eden.

In support of the great antiquity of man reference was made to the Paleolithic, Neolithic, Bronze and Iron ages; also to the science of language, climatic changes and the ancient civilization of Egypt, Mexico, Central America and other places. Is this in direct opposition to the Bible? Or is there any indication in the Word of God that there were human beings in the world before Adam? When Cain murdered his brother he said; "I shall be a vagabond and a fugitive in the earth; and it shall come to pass that everyone that findeth me shall slay me." Who was to find him if the only people on the earth were his father and mother? But he had a fear of others of whose existence he was aware. Again, he went to the land of Nod, far from Eden. He had a wife there. She could not have been his sister, for there is no indication in the bible that a daughter was born to Adam till after the birth of Seth. If this be true, he must have intermarried with a pre-Adamic race and joined them in building the city of Enoch.

In Genesis vi-2, it is recorded "The sons of God (literally the gods) saw the daughters of men (literally of the Adamites) that they were fair, and they took them wives." "The sons of the gods" may have been idolaters of a pre-Adamic race who intermarried with the descendants of Adam. The word Adam means red, and may include the Mongolian and Caucasian, but cannot include the Ethopian or black. Thus the blacks saw the whites fairer than their own women and intermarried with them. Again, "Adam called his wife Eve, because she was the mother of all living." Eve was not a mother at this time and therefore Adam must be speaking prospectively of his own posterity, and therefore this statement does not militate against the theory of a pre-Adamic race. St. Paul says that "God made of one blood all nations of men." The apostle is controverting polytheism. He is not teaching that all races of men are descended from Adam and Eve, but that there is one God, and only one, who is the creator of all nations.

The Bible is not hopelessly, in its teaching, at variance with the discoveries of science. If science should prove conclusively that man has been on the earth a much longer time than is generally supposed, there is nothing in the Bible to the contrary. The genealogical tables of the Bible are not intended to teach the antiquity of man, but that Christ was of the seed of Abraham.

The Doctor gave many examples of the errors of men of science in calculating time on the data of geology, and showed how little dependence could be placed on such facts as those of implements being in juxtaposition with the bones of animals long ages ago extinct; fossilized human remains in rocks, etc. When we understand the Bible and science better we shall see they teach the one and the same truth, for the same God is their author.

Young men were urged to stand by the grand old book, which has nothing to fear from thorough criticism, but has everything to fear from mere superficial examination; for the latter fans the flames of infidelity and scepticism as they sweep along their devastating path, while the former checks them in their mad career and strips them of their pernicious influences. Our interpretation of the Bible may be erroneous, just as the so-called fact of science may be false, but the teachings of the Bible and of nature are true, and therefore in harmony; if there is discord, it is in the interpretation.

THOUGHTFUL MOMENTS.

When you have nothing to say don't try to say it.

We can readily see how easy it is for other people to do right.

If we improve our circumstances they will improve us.

Is there anyone who thinks it is as easy for him to take other people's advice as it is for them to take his?

Self confidence is rock bottom.

Luck is the encouragement of pluck.

A woman's love is as blind as it is beautiful.

First Aid.

She had attended the ambulance classes and obtained the certificate. The street accident she had earnestly prayed for took place. A man had broken his leg. She confiscated the walking-stick of a passer-by and broke it into three pieces for splints. She tore up her skirt for bandages. When all was completed she summoned a cab and took her patient to the hospital.

"Who bandaged this limb so creditably?" inquired the surgeon.

"I did," she blushingly replied.

"Well, it is most beautifully—most beautifully done; but you have made, I find, one little mistake. You have bandaged the wrong leg."

CLEVELAND'S DILEMMA.

All About the Proposed Hanging of a Picture in the White House.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—At the last session of congress an act was passed accepting on behalf of the nation one of the choicest paintings in the art exhibition at the World's fair. Hanging on the west wall of the British exhibit was a symbol picture by G. F. Watts, the English artist, whose genius has raised him very near the head of his profession. One of these ideal compositions was "Love and Life," the other "Love and Death." The first of these represents very nearly the highest of the achievements of its creator. It consists of two figures; Life, a youth, athletic and handsome, with wings: the other Love, a woman, a trifle lower down, leaning against Life beseechingly. The figures are nude. After the close of the fair Mr. Watts offered to present this picture to the United States government to serve as the nucleus of a national art gallery, and those with whom he spoke about it told him that his picture would be welcomed, and that it would be a most fitting foundation for the national gallery he had in view. Accordingly the present was made, and congress accepted the gift with expressions of gratitude. Secretary Gresham wrote to Mr. Watts conveying to him information of the action of congress. In this letter the secretary said while the national gallery was not a tangible probability yet, "Love and Life" would be hanging in the White House, there to remain until more suitable surroundings could be given it. In making this promise Mr. Gresham went too far.

The picture is now in the White House, but whether it will ever hang there is a very grave question. It is boxed up in the cellar, and will stay boxed up until the President gets back to Washington and has had an opportunity to apply his artistic taste to the determination of a knotty problem. After the close of the fair, "Love and Life" was in bond in the Georgetown customs. Some days ago Assistant Secretary Rockhill, of the State Department, took it out of the customs house and sent it to Washington, with the information that it had been accepted by an act of Congress, and that in accordance with Secretary Gresham's letter to the donor it was to hang in the executive mansion. The man in charge of that sort of thing in the White House during the absence of the President is Colonel John M. Wilson, the superintendent of public buildings and grounds. Colonel Wilson does not pretend to know much about art, but his army training has given him a very keen sense of propriety which sprang at once into prominence when Mr. Rockhill informed him of the new addition to the White House gallery and described the painting. He declared that he would be blessed if any such thing should disgrace the walls confronting the eyes of young and innocent persons and clergymen on the occasion of every White House reception. Rockhill argued that the figures were nude, to be sure, but they lacked entirely the quality which might have made them objectionable; they were pervaded with poetry, not with passion, and much of the same sort, but he argued in vain. Wilson was obdurate. So long as he was in control he declared that the picture should remain boxed up in the cellar. If President Cleveland wanted to assume the responsibility of placing the objectionable thing on view, very well, but the President should not be permitted to do it without warning of the storm of criticism to which the hanging of the picture in the White House would subject him.

NOT WANTED.

New Jersey Catholics Ignore Satolli and Resolve to Take Their Own Course.

PATTERSON, N. J., Oct. 23.—An insult offered Mgr. Satolli by some of the parishioners of St. Joseph's parish, in this city, came in for a good deal of discussion here on Sunday. The St. Joseph parish association met and approved the conduct of the committee appointed to see Satolli. The matter was freely discussed at the meeting, and Senator Hinchliffe, James Gibson, Edward F. Leonard, R. Salmon and Christopher Kelly were appointed a committee to lay the grievances of the committee before the metropolitan court of Archbishop Corrigan. Speeches were made by a number of those present condemning Mgr. Satolli's action and reviewing the efforts of the parish to have Dr. Smith removed, which efforts, the speakers declared, were in every way peaceful and honorable. At the meeting very strong exceptions were taken to the treatment received by the committee which waited on the papal delegate to hear the grievance against Dr Smith. The following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved, That we, the members of the St Joseph's Parish Association, do hereby tender a vote of thanks to the committee of fifteen who yesterday waiting upon Mgr. Satolli at the residence of Dr. Smith.

"Resolved, That we approve of every act taken and every word uttered by the committee, and that we admire their manly intrepidity, and we do this, not to compliment the committee on their acts as individuals, but show the public that they are sustained.

"Resolved, That in deference to the feelings of outside conscientious Catholics who are interested in the matter, but who have no cognizance of the entire depth of our grievances and to refute the declaration of the A. P. A., that we have no redress, but must submit like cringing slaves, we appoint a committee to retain Rev. Dr. Burdsell to bring our case before the Metropolitan Court of Archbishop Corrigan, ignoring Mgr. Satolli and Bishop Wigger.

"Resolved, That, pending this, we use every honorable effort ourselves and ask our friends in the city of Paterson to bring pressure to bear on the few who still contribute to the support of Dr. Smith to desist from doing so, since it is evident that Dr. Smith and the people of St. Joseph's parish can never harmonize—either one or the other has got to go the wall."

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Dated at Victoria, the 12th day of October, 1894.

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NOTICE

To Joseph Phœnix and all others whom it may Concern.

TAKE NOTICE that an application will be made to a Judge in Chambers at the Supreme Court House, Bastion square, Victoria, on Monday, the 29th October, 1894, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard on behalf of Northing P. Snowden, to set aside and cancel two several agreements, dated respectively the 10th and 17th days of December, 1890, in respect of certain lands therein specified, viz.: Lots 47, 56, 37, 55, 49, 54, 67, 52, 70, 81, 50, 53, 68 and 69, and three and-a-half acres of Lot 48, in the District of Victoria, more particularly delineated on the map of the Fairfield Farm Estate; also five acres more or less known as Section 37, Victoria district, on the map of the Fairfield Farm Estate. The said Joseph Phœnix not having complied with the covenants contained in the said several agreements, and the said Northing P. Snowden in consequence of the said default having resumed possession of the said lands and premises.

Dated 1st October, 1894.

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E. A. WILMOT,
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September 10, 1894. sep11-tf

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of the Goods of Robert Williams, Deceased, and in the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Tyrwhitt Drake, bearing date the 20th day of October, 1894, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate and Effects of Robert Williams, late of the City of Victoria.

The Creditors of the Deceased are, on or before the 10th day of December, 1894, to send by post, prepaid to the undersigned, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts (verified by statutory declaration), and the names of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof all claimants will be peremptorily excluded from any benefit of the said Estate.

All persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.
Dated this 20th day of October, A.D. 1894.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the Matter of the Estate of William Raymond Clarke, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honourable Mr Justice Drake, bearing date the 19th day of September, 1894 I was appointed Administrator of the estate and effects of William Raymond Clarke, late of the City of Victoria B.C., deceased.

Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 5th day of November, A.D. 1894; and all persons indebted to said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH,
oc6-1m Official Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of the Official Administrator's Act and in the matter of the Estate of Julia Keffee, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Crease, bearing date the 19th day of October, 1894, I was appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Julia Keffee, late of the City of Victoria, B.C., deceased, intestate.

Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 19th day of November, A.D. 1894; and all persons indebted to said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH,
oc20-6t Official Administrator.

NOTICE.

Persons owning property on streets along which sewers are now being laid are requested to furnish information at the office of the City Engineer as to the manner in which they wish their premises connected with the public sewers.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
September 10, 1894. sep11 tf

NOTICES.

[L.S.] E. DEWDNEY.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the North Riding of Yale Electoral District:

WHEREAS, a vacancy has happened in the Legislative Assembly, by the acceptance of office of the Honourable George Bohun Martin, a member of the North Riding of Yale Electoral District, we command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given you do cause Election to be made according to law, of one member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the North Riding of Yale Electoral District, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on the ....day of....next, and do cause the name of such Member when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before 15th day of November next, the election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia. WITNESS: The Honourable Edgar Dewdney, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the 5th day of October, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

By command.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
oc7 Registrar of the Supreme Court.

[L.S.] E. DEWDNEY.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia at Our City of Victoria.—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

THEODORE DAVIE, *Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature:

NOW KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to hereby convoke, and by these presents enjoin you, and each of you, that on Monday, the Twelfth day of the month of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, FOR THE DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favor of God, be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable EDGAR DEWDNEY, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twenty-seventh day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and in the fifty-eighth year of Our reign.

By Command.

JAMES BAKER,
se28-td Provincial Secretary.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

Notice is hereby given that the time limited by the Rules of the House for receiving petitions for Private Bills will expire on Monday, the 26th day of November, 1894.

Private Bills must be presented on or before Monday, the third day of December, 1894.

Dated this 8th October, 1894.

THORNTON FELL,
oc9 tf Clerk of the House.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1894.

FALL ASSIZES.

*Nelson	Monday	10th September
*Donald	Monday	17th September
Clinton	Thursday	20th September
Richfield	Monday	24th September
Kamloops	Monday	1st October
Vernon	Monday	8th October
Lytton	Friday	12th October
New Westminster	Tuesday	6th November
Vancouver	Monday	12th November
Victoria	Tuesday	20th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	27th November

*Special Assizes adjourned from the Spring by Mr. Justice Walkem and now fixed for these dates. au15

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance," from the 1st day of April 1894, until the 1st day of April, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th March, 1894. fe10-td

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"	Parisian	Nov 10
Dominion Line	Vancouver	Nov 3
"	Oregon	Nov 10
Beaver Line	Lake Nepigon	Nov 7
	Lake Superior	Nov 14

FROM NEW YORK.

Cunard Line	Lucania	Nov 3
"	Etruria	Nov 10
White Star Line	Germanic	Nov 7
"	Teutonic	Nov 14
American Line	Paris	Nov 7
"	Berlin	Nov 14
North Ger. Lloyd	Elbe	Nov 3
"	Lahn	Nov 6
Anchor Line	Anchoria	Nov 3
"	Circassia	Nov 10
Red Star Line	Pennland	Nov 3
"	Noordland	Nov 7
Allan State Line	California	Oct 26
"	Nebraska	Nov 22

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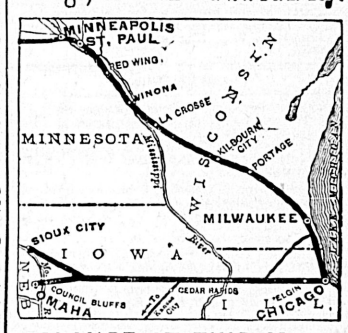

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On Wednesdays and Saturdays trains will run through to Nelson, arriving at 5:40 p.m., making close connection with the steamer Nelson for Kaslo and all lake points, arriving at Kaslo at 9:00 p.m. same days. Returning passengers will leave lake points and Nelson on Tuesdays and Fridays, arriving at Spokane same days.

Commencing Aug. 25th, passengers for Trail Creek, Nakusp, New Denver, Revelstoke and all points on the Canadian Pacific Railway, will leave Spokane on Saturdays at 7 a. m., connecting at Northport with steamer (same day) at 1 p.m.

Passengers by steamer from above points arrive in Spokane same evening.

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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

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On and after March 22nd, 1893,

The Steamer JOAN will sail as follows, calling at Way Ports as Freight and Passengers may offer:

Leave Victoria, Tuesday, 7 a. m.
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" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m

Will make one trip a month to Valdez Island.

For freight or staterooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria station, Store street. fe1

LAND REGISTRY ACT.—Subdivision No. 5 of Suburban Five-Acre Lot VIII., Victoria City—A certificate of indefeasible title to the above subdivision will be issued to Maurice Humber on the 19th day of November, 1894, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 10th August 1894. au15-3m

The Colonist.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1894.

THIS PAPER

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THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Oct. 23, 1894.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m.,	44°	Mean 47°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	44°		
9 a. m.,	45°	Highest 57°	5 a. m.—16 N. W.
1 p. m.,	46°		1 p. m.—Calm.
5 p. m.,	47°	Lowest 43°	9 p. m.—Calm.
9 p. m.,	56°		Rain—0.75.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—G E Woodman and wife, Mrs McGowan, Mrs Lott, J Phillips, W Kerner, Mike Ricley, Master Dulberger A Sidworth, George L Palmer, J Van Volkenberg, E Bersden, Mrs F C Smith, Miss G C Coutler, Miss M James, Miss D Stacy, Miss F Stevens, Arthur Larkin, J W Lewis, J H McLafferty, Raymond Copp, Geo H Fraser, Jacques Martin, Brian Darby, D J Sherwood, Owen Fawcett, W J Duffy, A R Arrow and wife, R H Williams, E Milken, A Hedley and wife, R J Berr, E J Smith, Jos Atery, W Smart and wife, J D Taylor, D Stevens.

Per Steamer CHARMER from Vancouver—J Henison, W Vincent, L Karny, Jno Maum, E A Harris and bride, M Pierson, T Turner, R Hepburn, Harry Wynn, K Spellman, Captain Langley, H C Wiffen, F Beaven, H Watson, W A Lomas, Alex Ewen, Mrs W C Ward, Miss Dawson, H Lee, Mrs Wiffen, S Lumberg, T Cowtherla, Miss Booth, Mrs E Brown, R B Parkes, L Doran, J S Yates, F Roule and wife, H Knight and wife, G Sterrett, W Lough, H S Sheppard, C Ingham, H Bostock, Mrs R S Armstrong, C J Marsball, Miss Walker, W S Smith, Miss Sheppard, T White, E White.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—R Stewart, W Gunter, Mrs Gunter, H J Scott, Mrs May Walker, A Binswanger, J Brown, J A Ritchie, J J Pealer, O J Sanderson, J Anderson, S McLeod, M Wheeldon, A Blank, Mrs McCarty, Master McCarty, Joe Larbeaux, Mrs Larbeaux, P N Myers, L W Hanson, K Olson, P Kundson, Wm Kundson, E Ramsden, C Carlson.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—R P, T McN, J F, G A, T L A, D Lyall & Co, J H Todd & Son, G H M, T H & Co, C R K, T M Stevens & Co, Prov Pub Co, F & Co, S H & Co, S, L McN & L, E & N Ry, Thos Earle, Aitken & Mowatt.

Per Steamer CHARMER, from Vancouver—D Spencer, Johns Bros, Willett & G, W Blackie, Langley & Co, J Earsman & Co, Lenz & L, City Plumbing Co, Thornton Fell, E G Prior & Co, J Piercy & Co, A & W Wilson, E Wall & Co, Dom Ex Co, Hud Bay Co, G C Shaw & Co, S Leiser & Co, J Horner & Co, Fell & Co, J H Gordon, Nicholles & R, J Hutcheson, Hall & R, W D Bentley, R W Higginbotham, Valo & B, J H Brown, J Gosnell, F Carne.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—O J Sanderson, Mrs Mary Walker, Lewis Lewis, Hud Bay Co Mrs S McCulloch, George McRae, Mary Hays, Mrs Crawford (Union, B C), M T Robin, Simon Leiser & Co, J T Berryman.

BIRTH.

SCHOLEFIELD—On the 22nd instant, at Sunnyside, Jubilee Avenue, Victoria, B.C., the wife of H. E. G H. Scholefield, of a son.

PERSONAL.

J. Stuart Yates returned from Vancouver yesterday.

Mrs. W. C. Ward returned home by the Charmer last evening.

Captain Langley was a passenger on the Charmer yesterday evening.

Alex. Ewen, the Fraser river cannerryman, is over from Westminster.

E. A. Harris and bride were among the passengers from Vancouver last night.

J. C. Black, San Francisco; Geo. Cohn, Portland, and J. B. Green, Somenos, are guests at the Driard.

Paul and Mrs. Shroad, of Salem, Oregon, who were spending their honeymoon in Victoria, returned home last night.

Colonel D H. Robertson, of England, returned from a trip to the Orient on the Empress of Japan yesterday, and is at the Driard.

George E Strachan, Winnipeg; Charles E Warner, Tacoma, and George A. McBrien, Nanaimo, are among the guests at the Driard

Charles Cluthe, Toronto, the well-known surgical machinist, who has been spending a few days on business in this city, leaves for the East to-morrow. He is staying at the Driard.

The following are among the latest arrivals at the Hotel Victoria: R Stuart, Edingburgh, Scotland; J. W. Macleod, Seattle, Washington; Miss Jans, Miss J. T. Coulter, Miss Stacey, Miss Stevens and Miss Brian Darley, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Hedley, Los Angeles; A. M. Miller, New York; Owen Fawcett, Detroit; Grier Starratt, Vancouver, and Mrs. W. W. Armstrong, Toronto.

THE schooner George H. Prescott and steamer Evangel arrived last evening heavily laden with hay, grain and potatoes from Dungeness Trading Company, Dungeness, Wash., consigned to Ham Lipsett, who is marketing his produce in Victoria. *

A Great Snap.

Seven hundred pairs sample boots and shoes just arrived at Geo. H. Maynard's, 85 Douglas street. The whole to be closed out at Eastern prices. *

Easy cutting and no crumbs, when using Christy Bread and Cake Knives. For sale at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Drink Victoria-Phœnix Lager Beer.

The best fruit kettles, at Cheapside.

THE FORMOSANS.

One of the Races of Savages Which Still Exists in China.

Some of Their Characteristics—Their Civilization—Implacable Hatred of the Chinese.

(From the New York Sun.)

China is a land whose ruling people were originally invaders, who fought, conquered, but never altogether destroyed the savage tribes who once possessed the country. There are civilized savages, half civilized savages and wild savages. The wild man, like the redskin, is usually on the warpath. Where the latter takes scalps the former takes heads. Both get drunk at every opportunity; both are dirty and disagreeable, and both waste away and die out under the pressure of civilization.

In Formosa, where many of the aborigines are found, when the Mandarin, who fills the same billet as an Indian agent, misbehaves they get out their weapons, descend on the agency and decapitate the Mandarin, his clerks, secretaries, body guards and servants. They take all the personal property they can lay hands to as an indemnity and go back happy and serene to their hunting grounds. The next Mandarin at that agency is exceedingly polite and upright for at least a twelvemonth.

The Formosa savage is evidently of the Malay race, but is larger, stronger and more formidable than his cousins on either side, the people of the Loo-Choo islands and those of the Philippine islands. At one time he occupied all of the great island where he lives, but in some unknown age was driven across the mountains, which practically divide the country into two districts. His conquerors, a semi-civilized Chinese people called Hakkas, settled down in the western half of the island, while the savages confined themselves to the eastern half. Since that forgotten conquest the island has been invaded by Chinese, by Amoy pirates, by Koreans, Japanese, Portuguese and Dutch, the Hakkas have been utterly vanquished and driven into the wilderness, but the savage still holds his own the same to-day as he did centuries ago.

The Formosans are clannish to the last degree. Although they have a common foe in the Chinese, it seems impossible to unite their many tribes, some not over a hundred strong, in one organization. They even go so far as to have bitter and bloody feuds among themselves. The Mandarins take advantage of this and often supply both sides with weapons and food in order to insure the killing of as many warriors as possible. In person they are not very bad looking. The complexion of youth is quite bright, and in many instances set off by large brown eyes and ruddy cheeks. The old are very sallow—almost mud-colored. Like all people who live by hunting and fishing in a fertile country, they are muscular, agile and graceful. The women do the drudgery, and are short, stumpy and heavy. The girls, however, are often models of physical excellence.

Unlike other barbarous races, the women and not the men tattoo. They use a dark vegetable dye for the pigment, which makes a lighter indigo than the Chinese ink employed by sailors and by the Japanese. The favorite style of marking the faces is by drawing parallel horizontal lines, commencing at the side of the nose and thence downward to the chin and even the neck. They rarely tattoo the other parts of the face, although in a few cases they put a figure on either temple. They ornament the body but slightly, and then give the preference to the shoulders, arms and breasts. Apparently they use no token or other tribal mark. They like ornaments, and construct necklaces and bracelets from wild boars' teeth, tiger cats' teeth, fish bones, fish heads, shirt buttons, copper coins, wire, shells and similar objects.

In fine weather the costume of a Formosan gentleman is very simple and aesthetic. It consists of a pipe inserted in the hair or stuck over the ear, a short jacket which reaches nearly to the waist, a belt, a necklace, a bracelet, a sharp, short sword, and two or three cues from defunct Chinamen. In cool or wet weather he adds coats and trousers of a cloth-like matting and a huge deerskin cloak. The entire skin is employed, in the middle of which is cut a hole and slit large enough to pass over the head and fit the neck of the wearer.

The women, both single and married, are modest in look, demeanor and dress. They marry or mate early, and have large families. What with childbirth and their mode of living, they age early, and at 35 look 50 Despite their appearance they preserve their strength and activity, and at 60 can do an immense amount of hard work. Those who live in the mountainous and east coast districts are very healthy, and some fine looking, those in the jungle and marsh districts are of a sickly appearance and poor physique. In the far north of Formosa are found blonde savages. They are the descendants of the Dutch settlers and soldiers who once held that part of the island and solaced their leisure hours with the charms of dusky womanhood.

Their civilization is of a low grade. They make leather, pottery, matting, bows, arrows, spears, swords, pipes, and can spin, weave, sew and embroider. Strange to say, they have invented a written character, which many of them can write and read, but few ever use. It is said to have been designed by a Jesuit missionary, who lived and died in one of their camps two centuries ago, but there is no record to verify the tradition. The character is neat, simple and legible, and bears a vague resemblance to the Siamese as well as the Korean alphabet. Another curious thing is the passport issued by the chiefs to travellers. It consists of a special kind of straw knotted in different patterns at various lengths. The pattern of each knot and the number and relative positions of the knots convey the name of the chief who gives the straw and the places and chiefs to whom it is directed. Those who have used these passports in the interior of Formosa report that they are always received with respect, and their bearers welcomed and hospitably entertained.

The implacable hatred of the Formosan for the Chinese is not extended to other peoples. They are very friendly to Malays and negroes, and as for Englishmen and Americans they meet them with open arms and the cheerful salutation, "Welcome, brother savages."

The war between these people and the Chinese never dies out. The former are afraid to come out into the open and face cannon and rifles, while the latter are equally afraid to go into the jungle and the marsh and face a foe whose tactics are those of the tiger and the snake. Thus, actual encounters on a large scale are rare. The mandarins have a standing reward for the head of every savage, and every now and then a party of soldiers will ambush a huntsman or shoot him at a distance and bring his head into camp. In return, the savages lie in wait for the soldiers and private citizens alike, kill and decapitate them, and then hang the head by a cord or in a basket to the branch of a tree by the wayside.

There are trees on the debatable ground between the two races which show a white crop of fifty grinning skulls. Altogether there must be hundreds, if not thousands, of these ghastly trophies exposed in this manner to public view. One Formossan chief alone is credited with having despatched 500 Mongolians.

POLITICS IN NEW YORK.

The Democratic Situation Said to Be Precarious—A Republican View of the Situation.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—The Republican managers of the state campaign, while actively at work pushing their canvass in all parts of the state, are unable to find any distressing indications in their ranks, and in serene confidence are watching the attempts of their Democratic adversaries to adjust and harmonize the factional disturbances with which they are beset on all sides, and especially in this city. The situation, so far as the New York and Brooklyn candidates for congress and assembly are concerned, is very critical, with county Democratic candidates opposing the Tammany congressional and assembly candidates in this city, and Shepard candidates running against the regular nominees in the Brooklyn districts, save that represented by Mr. Coombs. As the margin by which the Democratic managers hope to carry the next house of representatives is very narrow, the situation is regarded as extremely grave at Democratic headquarters.

THE AFFLICTED CZAR.

Conflicting Opinions as to His Condition—His Demise Looked for.

Princess Alix Joins the Orthodox Church—The Marriage Takes Place To Day.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—A Central News dispatch from St. Petersburg says it is semi-officially announced that the wedding of the Czarewitch and Princess Alix of Hesse will take place in the presence of the Czar in the palace chapel at Livadia, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The Princess joined the orthodox church to-day. It is stated that on leaving Spala the Czar weighed 200 pounds, about 28 pounds below his normal weight, and that he now weighs only 140 pounds.

The Berlin correspondent of the Central News says that an official dispatch from St. Petersburg confirms the announcement that the marriage of the Czarewitch and the Princess Alix will take place to-morrow unless the Czar should become suddenly worse in the meantime.

The Standard's St. Petersburg correspondent sends the following message: "Latest bulletins are of the same unsatisfactory nature as former ones. Everybody is surprised that there is no mention of the pulse or temperature; in short, there is no clue as to what the disease is, from which the Czar is suffering. It is rumored that an operation is contemplated. Another story has it that the malady is expected to reach a crisis within the next day or two, but as to what the operation or malady is, even the best informed are ignorant. From what I learn, no marriage of the Czarewitch is likely, but there will be a sort of formal betrothal which will receive the benediction of the Czar, and which it is understood will effectually bind the Czarewitch and Princess until there can be a wedding ceremony with the pomp befitting the union."

A dispatch to the Times from St. Petersburg says that besides the offering of prayers for the recovery of the Czar in all the churches the holy synod has ordered that there be prayers for the same end offered in the army and navy and on board the squadrons. Archbishop Maghile has ordered prayers in all the Greek churches. Prince Mestchfesky's Citizen is the first newspaper to break the dead silence inflicted on the press by the censor concerning the expressions of grief because of the Czar's illness. The paper gives a graphic description of the solemn and pathetic service of prayer within the ancient walls of the cathedral of the Assumption in the Kremlin at Moscow. It adds that these prayers will be continued until God listens to the supplications.

The Times' Vienna correspondent telegraphs that it is announced from Sofia that no special service has been held there for the recovery of the Czar. The clergy appear to have been instructed from headquarters.

The Russian newspapers have been requested to print copies of their respective journals for subscribers in Livadia and omit the bulletins altogether. This is being done. The wildest rumors are circulated in St. Petersburg and a special censor has been appointed to control all press telegrams concerning the condition of the Czar and the doings generally of the imperial family. All dispatches have to be passed on by the ordinary censor and to be inspected by the special censor and are mostly altered a great deal before they reach the telegraph office.

Judging by the telegraphic inquiries received from abroad there must be far more visible spontaneous concern in the foreign capitals than is noticed on the surface at St. Petersburg, where the press is not allowed to utter a single word of sorrow at the sickness of the monarch. Even the ministers and high officials of state, who themselves are astonished at the mysterious and tardy way the little official news vouchsafed is sent from the Crimea, have to telephone all day long and half through the night to the office of the Official Gazette begging information. In the remoter parts of the empire there are probably whole populations who have scarcely heard that the Czar is ill.

As a Russian has expressed it, the Russian newspapers are waiting to know when the police will allow them to weep and to express their feelings freely. The city bears its usual aspect, only the eager and excited discussion in the public resorts indicating the pending evil. The special services in all the churches are well attended; the sincerity of the prayers offered show how deeply the public mind is affected. In the theatres there have been numerous instances, during the intervals of the acts, of the audience calling for the orchestras to play the national hymn, "God Protect the Czar," to which the people would listen standing.

A dispatch from Berlin says the Emperor daily receives several telegrams from Livadia reporting the condition of the Czar. It is quite in accordance with the usual course of the Czar's malady, as stated in private telegrams, that he should still be able to rise and dress at his usual hour. Suddenly a spasm, accompanied by a difficulty in breathing, attacks him, and the nervous crisis is attended by sharp muscular pains, which cause great agony. But there are days when the distressing symptoms are fairly absent, and the Imperial patient regains his normal condition and even his normal spirits. The night time is the most dreaded, for sleep can only be obtained by ever-increasing injections of morphine. In spite of the latest bulletins, there is reason to believe the Czar's life may be prolonged by careful treatment for weeks, if not for months. The end generally comes after a period of collapse and unconsciousness, which may last several days.

ST PETERSBURG, Oct. 23.—A Livadia dispatch denies the report that the Czarina is suffering from paralysis of the legs.

PARIS, Oct. 23.—Le Figaro's correspondent at Livadia says the Czar recently experienced thirteen hours of terrible suffering. The crisis of the disease, the paper says, is now reached. His majesty's condition shows a slight improvement. Physicians, however, consider the condition grave.

BERLIN, Oct. 23.—A Livadia dispatch says the Czar has changed for the worse. His abdomen and legs are swollen. He moves but little, except with assistance.

VIENNA, Oct. 23.—Private advices received in this city state that the Czar's demise is looked for within three days.

ROSSA'S PROTEST.

The O'Donovan's Complaint of Having Been Refused a Passport.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—O'Donovan Rossa has written a letter to President Cleveland protesting against the action of Edwin F. Uhl, assistant secretary of state, in refusing to issue a passport, although he has been voting here a number of years on papers issued by Justice Larramore in the court of common pleas, February 21, 1871. Mr. Uhl's ruling was to the effect that the papers were worthless, on the ground that the qualification of five years' continuous residence has not been complied with.

Mr. Uhl's decision, Mr. Rossa says, prevented him from visiting Great Britain, where he had contracted to lecture, and compelled his return to this country from the continent of Europe. Before going to Europe in May he applied for the passports in the regular manner and did not discover that they had been refused until his wife wrote to him on the other side of the water.

In his complaint to President Cleveland, he inquires whether Mr. Uhl is an Englishman, an Orangeman or a member of the A.P.A. He gives an account of his application for his first papers, of his arrest and incarceration in English prisons up to January, 1871, and says that on his return to America, Justice Larramore issued the second papers by virtue of the constitutional clause which says "five years' consecutive residence," and holds good for the man who has taken out his first papers and leaves the country with the intention of returning, but who is detained in a manner that makes it impossible for him to return, and who returns soon as he can. Rossa wants to vote at the coming election, and says he cannot again apply for second papers, because the judges have ordered the arrest of persons who, once having secured papers, file application for a second issue.

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THE COLONIST'S telegraphic service last night was considerably interrupted.

THE degree of honor of the A.O.U W. held a meeting last night and decided to hold a social about the 12th of next month.

THE open meeting of Perseverance lodge, I O G.T., last night drew together an audience that crowded Temperance hall to the very doors. The programme provided was excellent and the consequence was that encores were numerous. There was an address by the chairman, Rev. Bro. Turner, instrumental quartette, Prof. Francis, Miss Leo Francis, Gould and Holden; recitation, Miss L Kettle; song, Mr. Douglas; song, Miss Kettle; comic song, Mr. Sweet; club swinging, Master F. Furnival; recitation and song, Dr. Douglas. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Election Contests to Be Dropped.

TORONTO, Oct. 23.—The World says it is informed on pretty good authority that petitions against the return of both Conservatives and Liberals of the Ontario legislature will be dropped. Negotiations for a compromise have been going on for some days, and it is more than likely that neither the judges nor people of Canada will be worried with election trials or bye-elections.

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